

March 9, 2004

State of Utah
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
Attn: Diana Whitney
1594 West North Temple - Suite 1210
P.O. Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

RE: Applications for Permit to Drill: Federal 3-17-9-18, (5-17-9-18) 7-17-9-18, 9-17-9-18, 13-17-9-18, and 15-17-9-18.

## Dear Diana:

Enclosed find APD's on the above referenced wells. If you have any questions, feel free to give either Brad or myself a call.

Sincerely,

Mandie Crozier

Regulatory Specialist

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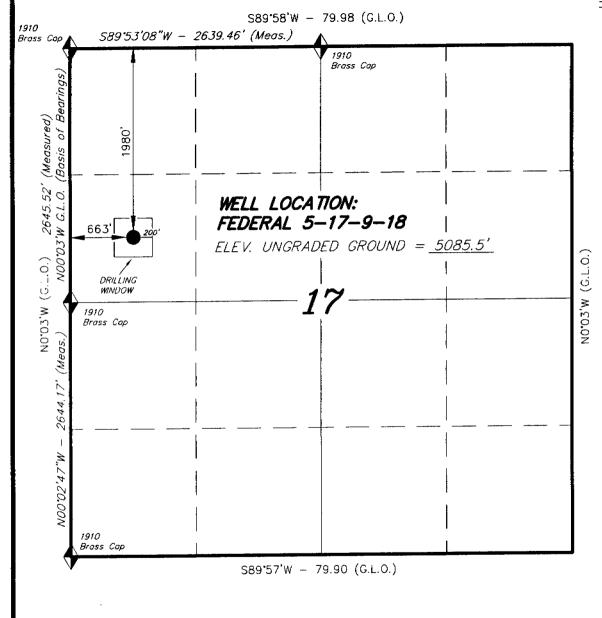
Form 3160-3 (September 2001)				FORM APPRO OMB No. 1004 Expires January	VED 45 & MINING 1-0136 11, 2004
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE IN	5. Lease Serial No.				
. BUREAU OF LAND MANAC	U-39714				
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER				6. If Indian, Allottee or T	ribe Name
				N/A	
la. Type of Work: DRILL REENTER	<u> </u>			7. If Unit or CA Agreemer	it, Name and No.
1b. Type of Well: ☑ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other	× Single Zone	Multip	le Zone	8. Lease Name and Well N Federal 5-17-9-18	io.
2. Name of Operator				9. API Well No.	
Inland Production Company				43-047-	35561
3a. Address	3b. Phone No. (include area	a code)		10. Field and Pool, or Explo	oratory
Route #3 Box 3630, Myton UT 84052	(435) 646-3721			Eight Mile Flat	
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with At surface SW/NW 1980' FNL 663' FWL 443173		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk.	м		
At proposed prod. zone 591873	x -109.923	81	-	SW/NW Sec. 17, T	9S R18E
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office*	***			12. County or Parish	13. State
Approximatley 19.4 miles southeast of Myton, Utah				Uintah	UT
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft.	16. No. of Acres in lease		17. Spacing	g Unit dedicated to this well	
(Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) Approx. 1,317 f/lse, NA f/unit	1,717.32	,		40 Acres	
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. Approx. 2637'	19. Proposed Depth			IA Bond No. on file 488944	
	6500'				
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)	22. Approximate date wor	k will sta	t*	23. Estimated duration	
5086' GL	3rd Quarter 2004			Approximately seven (7) days from s	oud to rig release.
	24. Attachments			•	
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshor	e Oil and Gas Order No.1, sl	nall be att	ached to this	form:	
<ol> <li>Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.</li> <li>A Drilling Plan.</li> <li>A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).</li> </ol>	Lands, the Lands, the Lands, the Lands, the Lands Land	above). or certifica	ation. specific info	s unless covered by an exist	
Title  Regulator Specialist  Reduction is Naccessary  Title  Regulator Specialist  Reduction is Naccessary  Reduction is Naccessary	Name (Printed/Type:   Mandie Crozier		- 10 <u>- 1644</u> 1644	Date	19/04
Title Regulator Specialist Approve Regulator					
Reproved by Signature	Name (Printed/Type			Dat	3-11-04
Title	IRONMENTAL SCIEN		II		
Application approval does not warrant or certify the the applicant holds le	gal or equitable title to those	rights in	the subject l	ease which would entitle the	applicant to conduct

operations thereon. Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

<sup>\*(</sup>Instructions on reverse)

## T9S, R18E, S.L.B.&M.

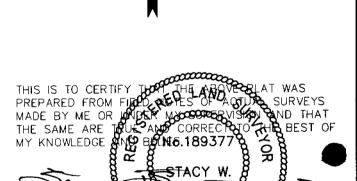


♦ = SECTION CORNERS LOCATED

BASIS OF ELEV; U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 min QUAD (PARIETTE DRAW SW)

## INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY

WELL LOCATION, FEDERAL 5-17-9-18, LOCATED AS SHOWN IN THE SW 1/4 NW 1/4 OF SECTION 17, T9S, R18E, S.L.B.&M. UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH.



TRI STATE LAND SURVEYING & CONSULTING

180 NORTH VERNAL AVE. - VERNAL, UTAH 84078 (435) 781-2501

SCALE: 1" = 1000'	SURVEYED BY: K.G.S.
DATE: 10-15-03	DRAWN BY: J.R.S.
NOTES:	FILE #

## INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY FEDERAL #5-17-9-18 SW/NW SECTION 17, T9S, R18E UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH

## ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

## DRILLING PROGRAM

## 1. <u>GEOLOGIC SURFACE FORMATION:</u>

Uinta formation of Upper Eocene Age

## 2. <u>ESTIMATED TOPS OF IMPORTANT GEOLOGIC MARKERS:</u>

Uinta 0' – 1640' Green River 1640' Wasatch 5760'

## 3. <u>ESTIMATED DEPTHS OF ANTICIPATED WATER, OIL, GAS OR MINERALS:</u>

Green River Formation 1640' - 6500' - Oil

## 4. <u>PROPOSED CASING PROGRAM</u>

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field Standard Operation Procedure (SOP).

## 5. MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS FOR PRESSURE CONTROL:

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP. See Exhibit "C".

#### 6. TYPE AND CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PROPOSED CIRCULATION MUDS:

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 7. AUXILIARY SAFETY EQUIPMENT TO BE USED:

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 8. <u>TESTING, LOGGING AND CORING PROGRAMS:</u>

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 9. <u>ANTICIPATED ABNORMAL PRESSURE OR TEMPERATURE:</u>

The anticipated maximum bottom hole pressure is 2000 psi. It is not anticipated that abnormal temperatures will be encountered.

## 10. ANTICIPATED STARTING DATE AND DURATION OF THE OPERATIONS:

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY FEDERAL #5-17-9-18 SW/NW SECTION 17, T9S, R18E UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH

## ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

## MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN

## 1. <u>EXISTING ROADS</u>

See attached Topographic Map "A"

To reach Inland Production Company well location site Federal #5-17-9-18 located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 17, T9S, R18E, Uintah County, Utah:

Proceed southwesterly out of Myton, Utah along Highway 40 - 1.6 miles  $\pm$  to the junction of this highway and UT State Hwy 53; proceed southeasterly along Hwy 53 - 11.7 miles  $\pm$  to it's junction with an existing road to the southeast; proceed southeasterly -3.6 miles  $\pm$  to it's junction with an existing road to the east; proceed northeasterly -1.8 miles  $\pm$  to it's junction an existing road to the southeast; proceed southeasterly -0.7 miles  $\pm$  to it's junction with the beginning of the proposed access road; proceed westerly along the proposed access road 1,720°  $\pm$  to the proposed well location.

## 2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD

See Topographic Map "B" for the location of the proposed access road.

## 3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS

Refer to Exhibit "B".

## 4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field Standard Operating Procedure (SOP).

#### 5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP. See Exhibit "A".

## 6. <u>SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS</u>

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 7. METHODS FOR HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 8. <u>ANCILLARY FACILITIES</u>

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 9. <u>WELL SITE LAYOUT</u>

See attached Location Layout Diagram.

## 10. PLANS FOR RESTORATION OF SURFACE

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

## 11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP - Bureau Of Land Management

## 12. <u>OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</u>

The Archaeological Resource Survey and Paleontological Resource Survey for this area are attached. MOAC Report #03-155, 2/23/04. Paleontological Resource Survey prepared by, Wade E. Miller, 10/6/03. See attached report cover pages, Exhibit "D".

Inland Production Company requests a 50' ROW for the Federal #5-17-9-18 to allow for construction of a 6" gas gathering line, and a 3" poly fuel gas line. Both lines will tie in to the existing pipeline infrastructure. **Refer to Topographic Map "C."** For a ROW plan of development, please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

Inland Production Company also requests a 50' ROW be granted for the Federal #5-17-9-18 to allow for construction of a 3" steel water injection line and a 3" poly water return line. **Refer to Topographic Map "C."** For a ROW plan of development, please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

#### Water Disposal

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

#### Reserve Pit Liner

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

#### Location and Reserve Pit Reclamation

Please refer to the Monument Butte Field SOP.

The following seed mixture will be used on the topsoil stockpile, to the recontoured surface of the reserve pit, and for final reclamation: (All poundages are in pure live seed)

ShadscaleAtriplex confertifolia4 lbs/acreGardners SaltbushAtriplex gardneri4 lbs/acreGalleta GrassHilaria jamesii4 lbs/acre

#### **Details of the On-Site Inspection**

The proposed Federal #5-17-9-18 was on-sited on 8/20/03. The following were present; Brad Mecham (Inland Production), Byron Tolman (Bureau of Land Management), and SWCA representatives. Weather conditions were clear.

#### 13. LESSEE'S OR OPERATORS REPRESENTATIVE AND CERTIFICATION

Representative

Name: Brad Mecham

Address:

Route #3 Box 3630

Myton, UT 84052

Telephone:

(435) 646-3721

## **Certification**

Please be advised that INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY is considered to be the operator of well #5-17-9-18 SW/NW Section 17, Township 9S, Range 18E: Lease U-39714 Uintah County, Utah: and is responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the leased lands. Bond coverage is provided by Hartford Accident #4488944.

I hereby certify that the proposed drillsite and access route have been inspected, and I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are true and correct to the best of my knowledge; and that the work associated with the operations proposed here will be performed by Inland Production Company and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

> Mandie Crozier Regulatory Specialist

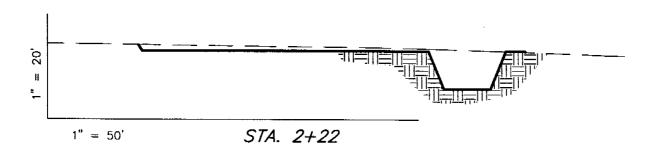
## INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY FEDERAL 5-17-9-18 Section 17, T9S. R18E, S.L.B.&M. Top of C/1.2 C/1.6 Cut Slope (4)**C/1.0** STA. 2+90 PIT TOPSOIL STOCKPILE 130' 2' Birm Around C/0.8 Fill Portion of Location 50' Grade (B)STA. 2+22 C/0.3 RESERVE **C/1.0** 1 PIT (8' Deep) <sub>29</sub>,(5) 120' STA. 1+60 40 F/0.1 **EXCESS** MATERIAL WELL HEAD: UNGRADED = 5085.5FIN. GRADE = 5085.2" Toe of STA. 0+00 -Fill Slope 6 F/0.4 8 C/0.2 REFERENCE POINTS PROPOSED ACCESS 180' WEST = 5086.4ROAD (Max. 6% Grade) 230' WEST = 5086.9'170' SOUTH = 5086.4'220' SOUTH = 5087.1'(435) 781-2501 TriStateSCALE: 1'' = 50'SURVEYED BY: K.G.S. Land Surveying, Inc. 180 NORTH VERNAL AVE. VERNAL, UTAH 84078 DRAWN BY: J.R.S. DATE: 10-15-03

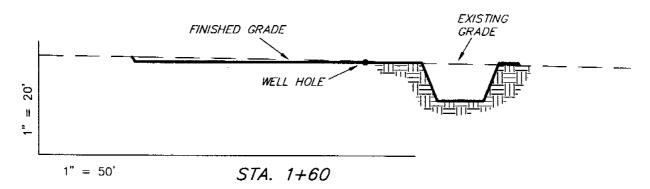
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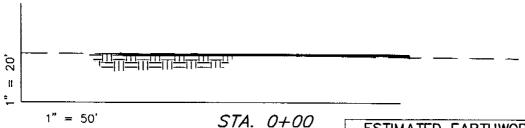
## CROSS SECTIONS

## FEDERAL 5-17-9-18









NOTE: UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ALL CUT/FILL SLOPES ARE AT 1.5:1 ESTIMATED EARTHWORK QUANTITIES
(No Shrink or swell adjustments have been used)
(Expressed in Cubic Yards)

ITEM	CUT	FILL	6" TOPŞOIL	EXCESS
PAD	300	300	Topsoil is	0
PIT	640	0	in Pod Cut	640
TOTALS	940	300	890	640

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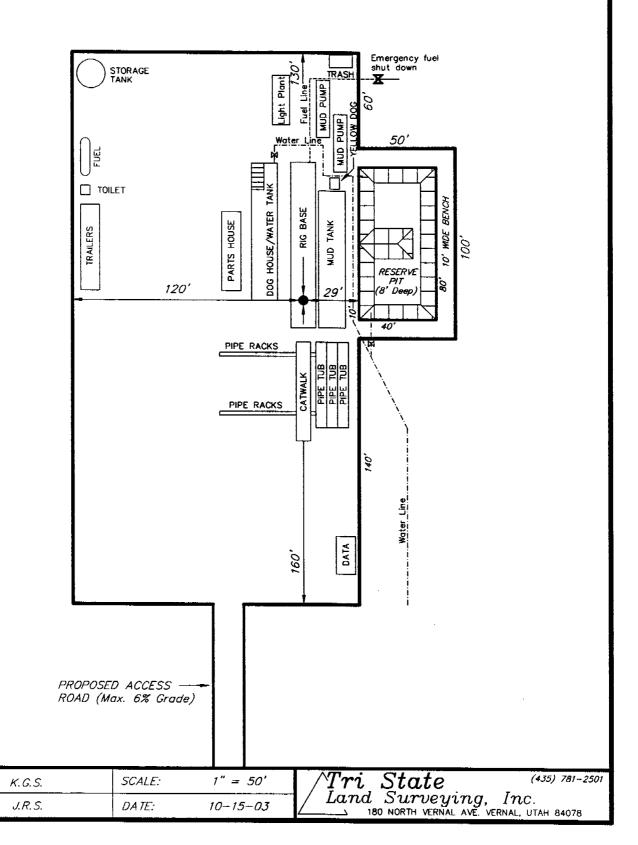
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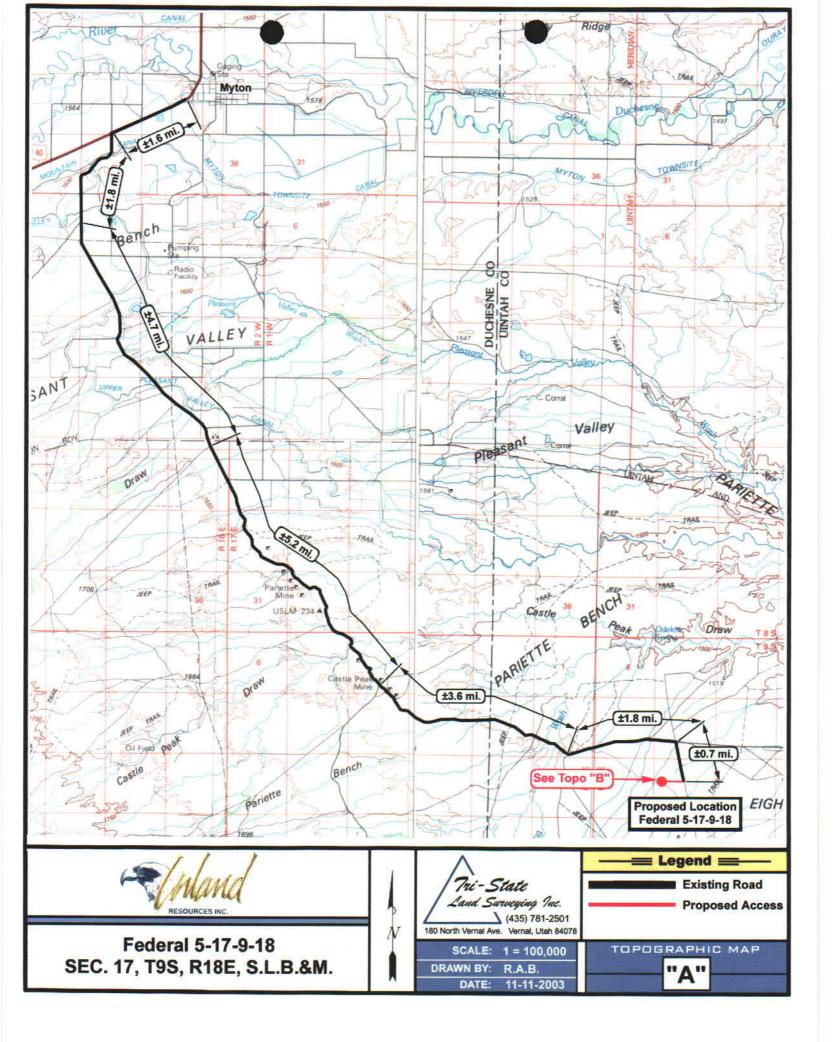
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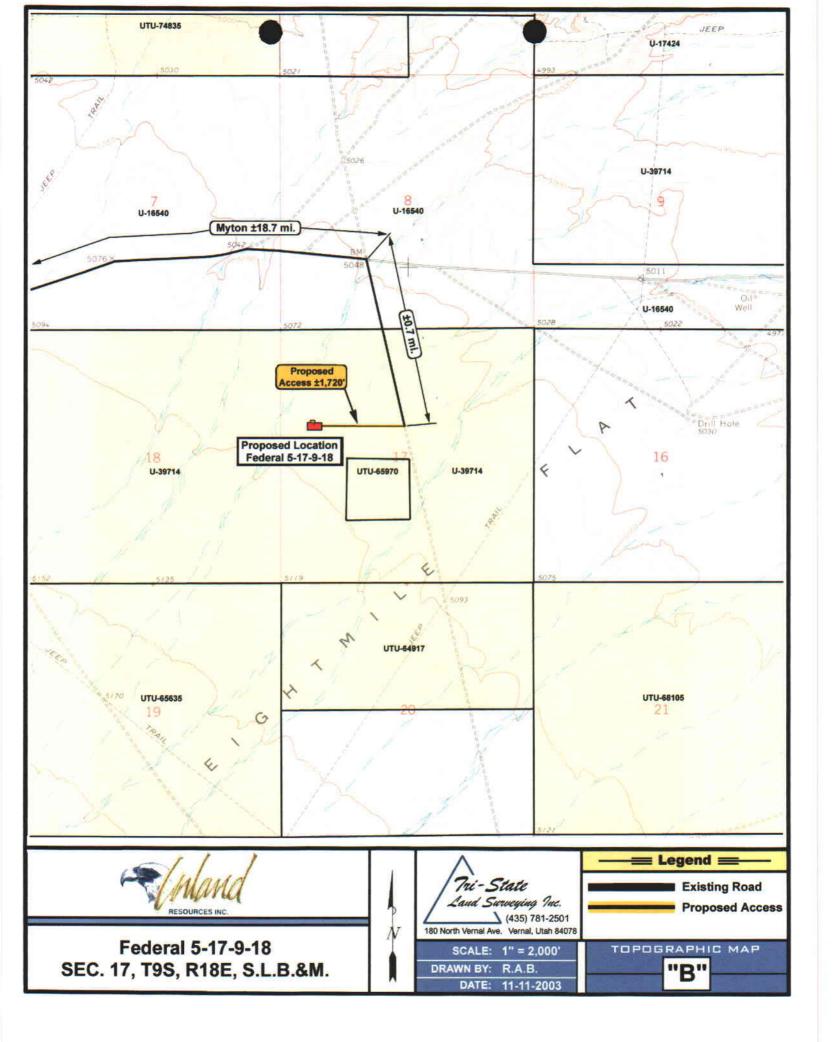
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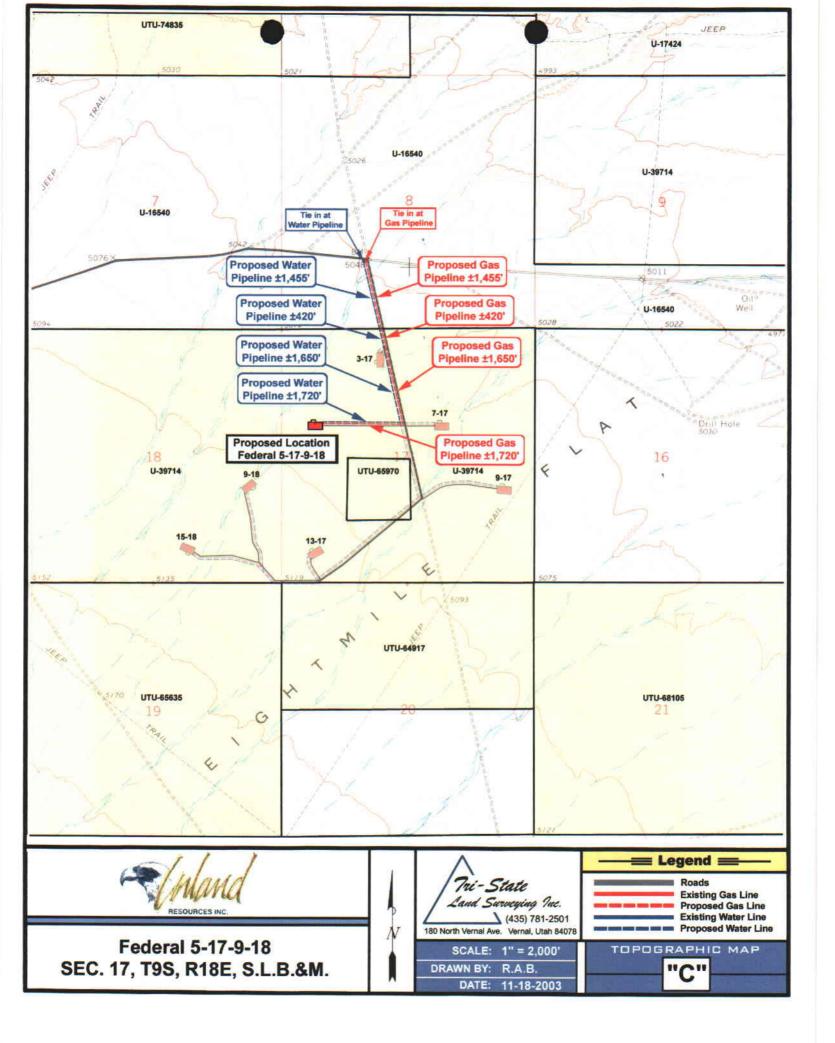


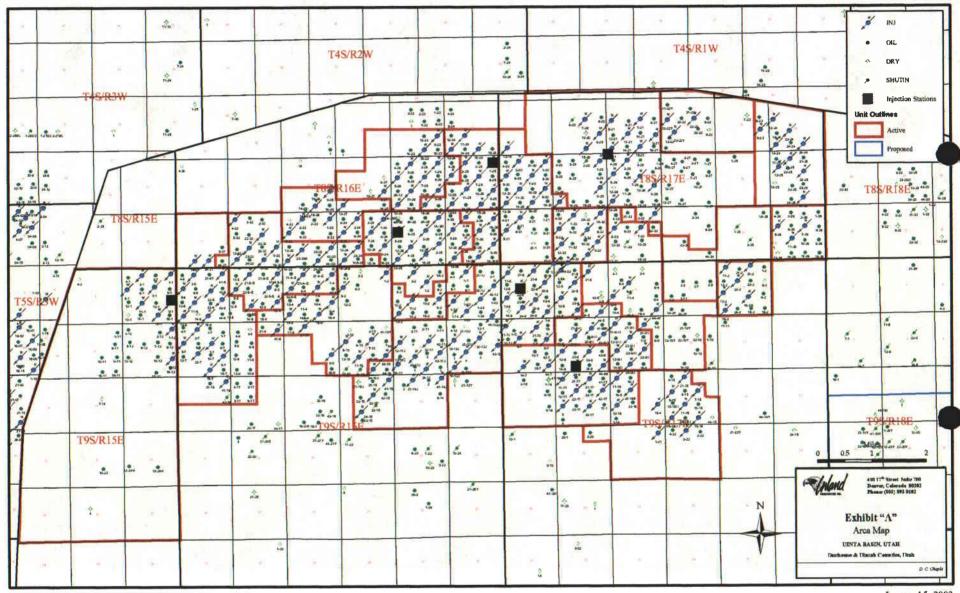
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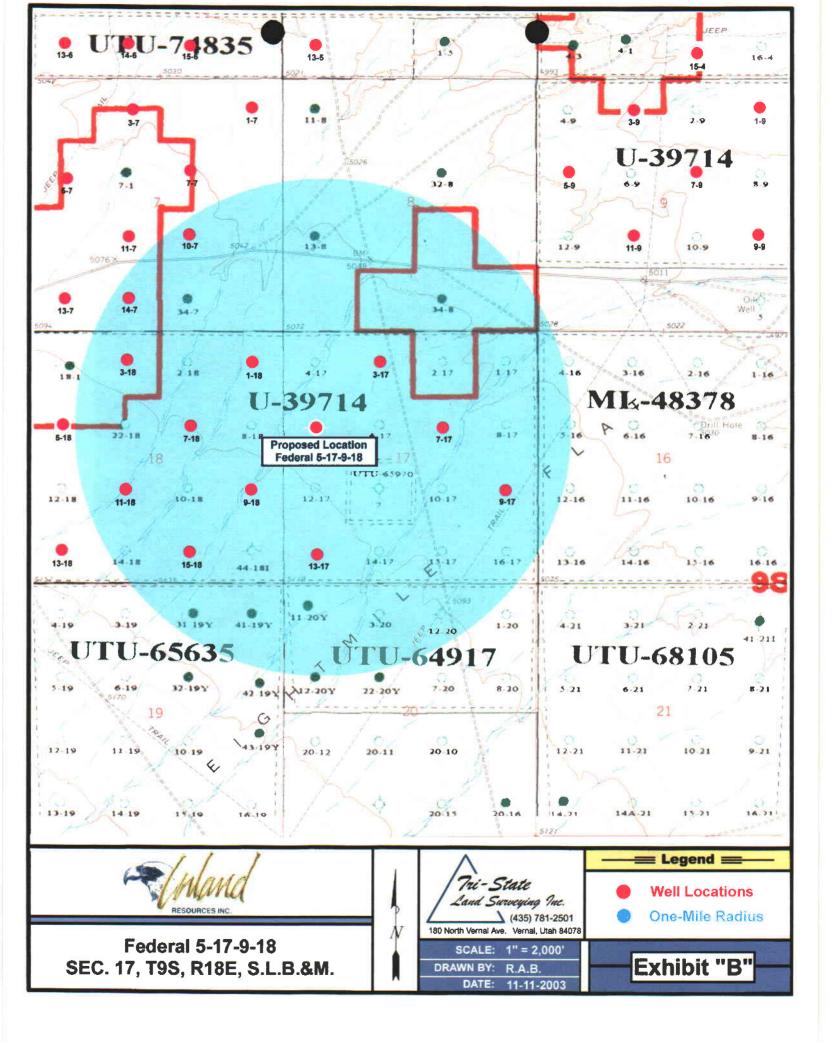






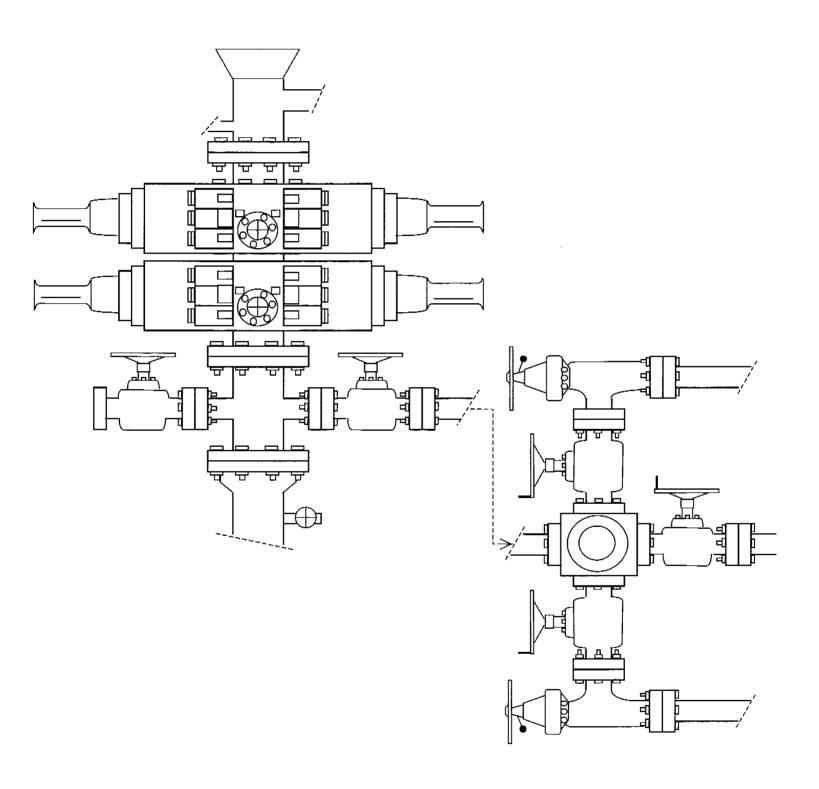


January 15, 2003



## 2-M SYSTEM

Blowout Prevention Equipment Systems



**EXHIBIT C** 

●Exhibit "D"

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## CULTURAL RESOURCE INVENTORY OF INLAND RESOURCES BLOCK SURVEY ON EIGHTMILE FLAT TOWNSHIP 9 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, SECTIONS 17, 20, 21 IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH

by

Amanda Wilson and Keith R. Montgomery

Prepared For:

Bureau of Land Management Vernal Field Office

Prepared Under Contract With:

Inland Production Route 3 Box 3630 Myton, Utah 84052

Prepared By:

Montgomery Archaeological Consultants P.O. Box 147 Moab, Utah 84532

MOAC Report No. 03-155

February 23, 2004

United States Department of Interior (FLPMA)
Permit No. 03-UT-60122

State of Utah Antiquities Project (Survey)
Permit No. U-04-MQ-800b

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## INLAND RESOURCES, INC.

# PALEONTOLOGICAL FIELD SURVEY OF PROPOSED PRODUCTION DEVELOPMENT AREAS, UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH

(Sections 9, 14, 15, 17, 21, 23 and north half section 20, Township 9 South, Range 18 East)

## REPORT OF SURVEY

Prepared for:

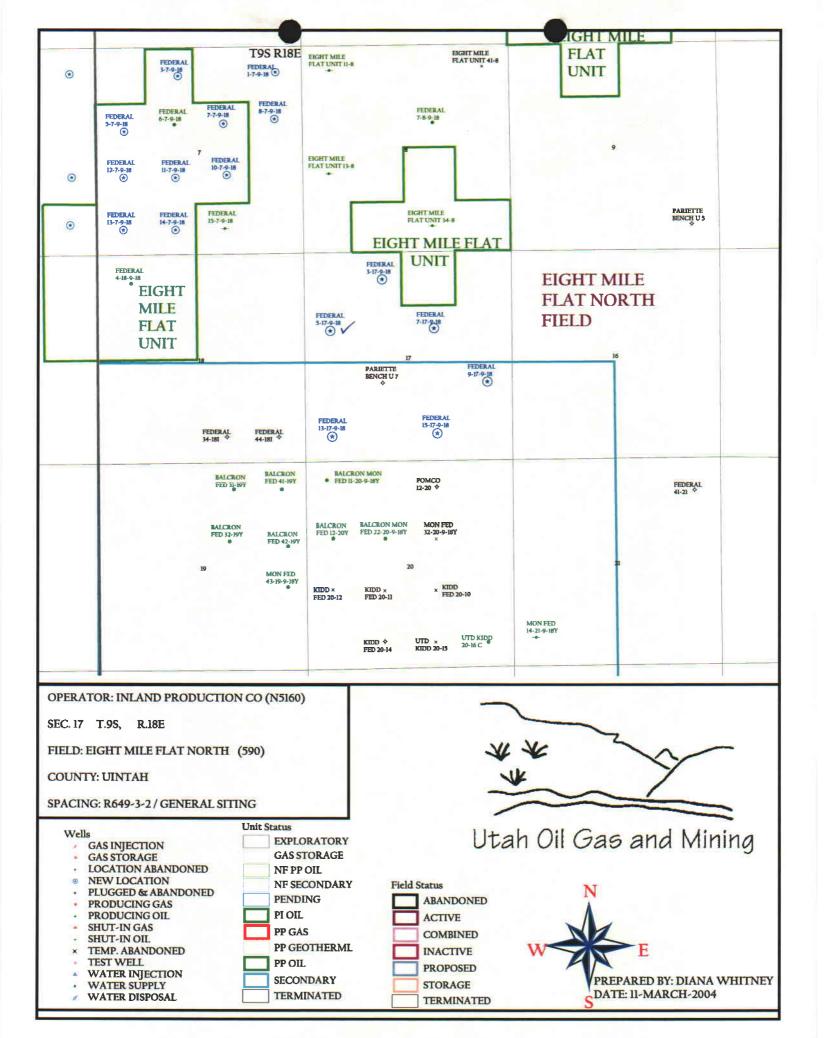
Inland Resources, Inc.

Prepared by:

Wade E. Miller Consulting Paleontologist October 6, 2003

## WORKSHEET APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

APD RECEIVED: 03/10/2004	API NO. ASSIGN	ED: 43-047-3556	1	
WELL NAME: FEDERAL 5-17-9-18  OPERATOR: INLAND PRODUCTION ( N5160 )  CONTACT: MANDIE CROZIER	PHONE NUMBER: 4	35-646-3721		
PROPOSED LOCATION:	TNSDECT LOCATA	I BY: / /		
SWNW 17 090S 180E SURFACE: 1980 FNL 0663 FWL BOTTOM: 1980 FNL 0663 FWL	Tech Review	Initials	Date	
UINTAH	Engineering			
8 MILE FLAT NORTH ( 590 )	Geology			
LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal	Surface			
LEASE NUMBER: U-39714  SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal  PROPOSED FORMATION: GRRV  COALBED METHANE WELL? NO	LATITUDE: 40.0			
RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:  Plat  Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  (No. 4488944 )  Potash (Y/N)  N Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13  Water Permit  (No. MUNICIPAL )  N RDCC Review (Y/N)  (Date: )  NIA Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)	R649-3-3. I Drilling Uni Board Cause Eff Date: Siting:	General From Qtr/Qtr & 920' : Exception		
COMMENTS: Sop, Seperale All				
STIPULATIONS: 1- Locate Cappening Dip				





State of Utah

Department of Natural Resources

Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

ROBERT L. MORGAN Executive Director

LOWELL P. BRAXTON Division Director MICHAEL O. LEAVITT Governor

OLENE S. WALKER
Lieutenant Governor

March 11, 2004

Inland Production Company Route #3, Box 3630 Myton, UT 84052

Re: Federal 5-17-9-18 Well, 1980' FNL, 663' FWL, SW NW, Sec. 17, T. 9 South,

R. 18 East, Uintah County, Utah

## Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann.§ 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-35561.

Sincerely,

John R. Baza
Associate Director

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cc: Uintah County Assessor

Bureau of Land Management, Vernal District Office

Operator:	Inland I	Production Company	
Well Name & Number	Federal	5-17-9-18	
API Number:	43-047-	35561	
Lease:	U-3971	4	
Location: SW NW	<b>Sec.</b> 17	T. 9 South	<b>R.</b> 18 East

## **Conditions of Approval**

#### 1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

## 2. Notification Requirements

Notify the Division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

Contact Dan Jarvis at (801) 538-5338

## 3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

- 4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.
- 5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.

Corporations Section P.O.Box 13697 Austin, Texas 78711-3697



Geoffrey S. Connor Secretary of State

## Office of the Secretary of State

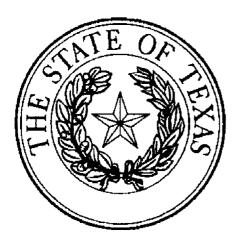
The undersigned, as Secretary of State of Texas, does hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of each document on file in this office as described below:

Newfield Production Company Filing Number: 41530400

Articles of Amendment

September 02, 2004

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused to be impressed hereon the Seal of State at my office in Austin, Texas on September 10, 2004.





Secretary of State

# ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF INLAND PRODUCTION COMPANY

In the Office of the Secretary of State of Texas

SEP 02 2004

Corporations Section

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 4.04 of the Texas Business Corporation Act (the "TBCA"), the undersigned corporation adopts the following articles of amendment to the articles of incorporation:

## ARTICLE 1 - Name

The name of the corporation is Inland Production Company.

#### ARTICLE 2 - Amended Name

The following amendment to the Articles of Incorporation was approved by the Board of Directors and adopted by the shareholders of the corporation on August 27, 2004.

The amendment alters or changes Article One of the Articles of Incorporation to change the name of the corporation so that, as amended, Article One shall read in its entirety as follows:

"ARTICLE ONE - The name of the corporation is Newfield Production Company."

ARTICLE 3 - Effective Date of Filing

This document will become effective upon filing.

The holder of all of the shares outstanding and entitled to vote on said amendment has signed a consent in writing pursuant to Article 9.10 of the TBCA, adopting said amendment, and any written notice required has been given.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned corporation has executed these Articles of Amendment as of the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2004.

INLAND RESOURCES INC.

By: Susan G. Riggs, Treasurer



## United States Department of the Interior



# BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Utah State Office P.O. Box 45155 Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155 http://www.blm.gov

IN REPLY REFER TO: 3106 (UT-924)

September 16, 2004

Memorandum

To:

Vernal Field Office

From:

Acting Chief, Branch of Fluid Minerals

Subject:

Merger Approval

Attached is an approved copy of the name change recognized by the Utah State Office. We have updated our records to reflect the merger from Inland Production Company into Newfield Production Company on September 2, 2004.

Milas Llouters

Michael Coulthard Acting Chief, Branch of Fluid Minerals

## Enclosure

1. State of Texas Certificate of Registration

cc:

MMS, Reference Data Branch, James Sykes, PO Box 25165, Denver CO 80225 State of Utah, DOGM, Attn: Earlene Russell, PO Box 145801, SLC UT 84114

Teresa Thompson Joe Incardine

Connie Seare

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Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

## **OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET**

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Change of Operator (Well Sold)

ROUTING

1. GLH 2. CDW 3. FILE

Designation of Agent/Operator

## X Operator Name Change

## Merger

The operator of the well(s) listed below	has changed	l, effect	ive:			9/1/2004			1
FROM: (Old Operator):				<b>TO:</b> ( New O	perator):				7
N5160-Inland Production Company				N2695-Newfie	ld Productio	n Compan	y		
Route 3 Box 3630				Route 3	Box 3630	-	-		ļ
Myton, UT 84052				Myton,	UT 84052				
Phone: 1-(435) 646-3721				Phone: 1-(435)	646-3721				
CA	A No.			Unit:					
WELL(S)									
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FEDERAL 15-18-9-18	18			4304735587		Federal	ow	APD	K
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## **OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENTATION**

Enter date after each listed item is completed

(R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the FORMER operator on: 9/15/2004
 (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the NEW operator on: 9/15/2004

3. The new company was checked on the **Department of Commerce**, **Division of Corporations Database on:** 2/23/2005

4. Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah: YES Business Number: 755627-0143

5. If NO, the operator was contacted contacted on:

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Form 3160-3 (September 2001)		, ,	FORM APP OMB No. 10 Expires Januar	004-0136
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE IN			5. Lease Serial No.	
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT			U-39714	
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DE			6. If Indian, Allottee or	r Tribe Name
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lb. Type of Well:  Oil Well  Gas Well  Other	Single Zone  Multi	ole Zone	8. Lease Name and Wel Federal 3-17-9-	
2. Name of Operator Sire I di Production Company			9. API Well No. 43: C4	7.35561
3a. Address	3b. Phone No. (include area code)		10. Field and Pool, or Ex	ploratory
Route #3 Box 3630, Myton UT 84052	(435) 646-3721		Eight Mile Flat	
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with	any State requirements.*)		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Bl	lk. and Survey or Area
At surface NE/NW 660' FNL 1980' FWL At proposed prod. zone			NE/NW Sec. 17,	T9\$ R18E
			12. County or Parish	13. State
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office*			Uintah	UT
Approximatley 19.1 miles southeast of Myton, Utah  15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest	16. No. of Acres in lease	17. Spacin	g Unit dedicated to this we	
property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)  Approx. 660' fflse. NA ffunit	1,717.32		40 Acres	
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.  Approx. 2637'	19. Proposed Depth 6500'		BIA Bond No. on file	
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21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 5068' GL	3rd Quarter 2004		Approximately seven (7) days from	m spud tó ríg release.
	24. Attachments			,
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onsho		tached to this	s form:	
<ol> <li>Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.</li> <li>A Drilling Plan.</li> <li>A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).</li> </ol>	4. Bond to cover t Item 20 above). 5. Operator certific	he operationation.	ns unless covered by an ex	
25. Signature Carrelie Correle	Name (Printed/Typed) Mandie Crozier		D	3/9/04
Title Regulatory Specialist				
Approved by (Signature)	Name (Printed/Typed)	ET 130	<u> </u>	3/1/05
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Application approval does not warrant or certify the the applicant holds I operations thereon.  Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.	egal or equitable title to those rights in	the subject	lease which would entitle the	he applicant to conduct
Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as t	t a crime for any person knowingly at to any matter within its jurisdiction.	nd willfully	to make to any department	or agency of the United

\*(Instructions on reverse)

COAs Page 1 of 2 Well No.: Federal 3-17-9-18

## CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

Company/Operator:	Newfield Production Company.
Well Name & Number:	Federal 3-17-9-18
API Number:	43-047-35561
Lease Number:	U-39714
Location: <u>NENW</u>	Sec. <u>17</u> T. <u>9S</u> R. <u>18E</u>
Agreement:	N/A

For more specific details on notification requirements, please check the Conditions of Approval for Notice to Drill and Surface Use Program.

## CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR NOTICE TO DRILL

Approval of this application does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Be aware fire restrictions may be in effect when location is being constructed and/or when well is being drilled. Contact the appropriate Surface Management Agency for information.

Please submit to this office, in LAS format, an electronic copy of all logs run on this well. This submission will replace the requirement for submittal of paper logs to the BLM.

In the event after-hours approvals are necessary, you must contact one of the following individuals:

Kirk Fleetwood

(435) 828-7874

Petroleum Engineer

Michael Lee

(435) 828-7875

Petroleum Engineer

BLM FAX Machine (435) 781-4410

COAs Page 2 of 2 Well No.: Federal 3-17-9-18

## SURFACE USE PROGRAM CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (COAs)

Mountain Plover surveys will have to be conducted in accordance with the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Mountain Plover Survey Guidelines.

To reduce noise levels in the area, a hospital muffler or multi-cylinder engine shall be installed on the pumping unit.

A Right-of-Way will be required for the pipelines.

FORM 3160-5 (June 1990)

## ITED STATES BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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1.00	TRIPLICATE	7. If Unit or CA, Agreement Designation N/A
1. Type of Well  X Oil Well Gas Well Other		8. Well Name and No. FEDERAL 5-17-9-18
2. Name of Operator		9. API Well No. 43-047-35561
NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY  3. Address and Telephone No.		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area EIGHT MILE FLAT NORTI
Rt. 3 Box 3630, Myton Utah, 84052 435-6	46-3721	11. County or Parish, State
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., m., or Survey Description)  1980 FNL 663 FWL SW/NW Section	n 17, T9S R18E	UINTAH COUNTY, UT.
12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(s)	TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, R	
TYPE OF SUBMISSION	<u>TYP</u>	E OF ACTION
X Notice of Intent	Abandonment Recompletion	Change of Plans New Construction
Subsequent Report	Plugging Back Casing Repair	Non-Routine Fracturing Water Shut-Off

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)\*

Newfield Production Company requsts to extend the Permit to Drill this well for one year. The original approval date was 3/11/04 (expiration 3/11/05).

Altering Casing

**Permit Extension** 

Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

Final Abandonment Notice

Conversion to Injection

(Note: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

Dispose Water

DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is fue and correct Signed Mandie Crozier		Regulatory Specialist	Date	3/7/2005
CC: UTAII DOGM			- MATA-Fr	
(This space for Federal or State office use)				
Approved by	Title		Date	
Conditions of approval, if any:				
CC: Utah DOGM				

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## Application for Permit to Drill Request for Permit Extension Validation

Validation
(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

API: 43-047-35561 Well Name: Federal 5-17-9-18 Location: SW/NW Section 17, T9S R18E Company Permit Issued to: Newfield Production Company Date Original Permit Issued: 3/11/2004						
The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.						
Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.						
If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes□No□ ♠						
Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes □ No □						
Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes□No□						
Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes□Not						
Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes□Not						
Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes□Nô□✓						
Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes No□						
Signature Date						
Title: Regulatory Specialist						
Representing: Newfield Production Company						

## DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

## **SPUDDING INFORMATION**

Name of Company:	NEWF	TELD PRODUC	TION COMPANY	
Well Name:	FEDE	RAL 5-17-9-18		
Api No <u>: 43-047</u>	-35561	Lease Type:_	FEDERAL	
Section 17 Townsh	nip <u>09S</u> Range_1	18E County	UINTAH	
Drilling Contractor	NDSI	RIG	# <u>NS#1</u>	
SPUDDED:				
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Time	10:00 AM			
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Telephone #	1-435-82	3-3610	· · · · · ·	i
Date 09/14/2004	5 Signed	СНД		

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OPERATOR: NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY ADDRESS: RT. 3 BOX 3839

MYTON, UT 84052

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STATE OF UTAH

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND VINING

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- E Other (map air in companies sectors)

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September 15, 2005

Production Clerk

CPERATOR ACCT. NO.

FORM 3160-5 (September 2001)

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM A	PPROVED
OMB No.	1004-0135
Expires Janu	uary 31,2004

Lease Serial No.

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# NEWFILD PRODUCTION COMPANY - CASING & CEMENT REPORT

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COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE	Floyd Mitchell	DATE 9/18/2005	

#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires January 31 2004

Lease Serial No.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is Name (Printed/ Typed) Floyd Mitchell	s true and correct	Title Drilling Supervisor					
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Approved by		Title		Da	ate		
	ed. Approval of this notice does not warrar quitable title to those rights in the subject le duct operations thereon.						
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(Instructions on reverse)

# NEWFILD PRODUCTION COMPANY - CASING & CEMENT REPORT

			8 5/8	CASING SET	AT	309.54			
LAST CASIN	IG 8 5/8"	SET A	AT 309'		OPERATOR	₹	Newfield F	roduction C	ompany
DATUM			<del></del>				Federal 5-	-17-9-18	
DATUM TO	CUT OFF C	ASING		· <del>···</del>			Monument		
DATUM TO I	BRADENHE	AD FLANGE			CONTRACT	 **OR & RIG		NDSI NS #1	
TD DRILLER	310'	LOGGE	 ER				<u></u>		
HOLE SIZE	12 1/4								
	<del></del>								
LOG OF CAS	SING STRIN	lG:							
PIECES	OD	ITEM - I	MAKE - DESC	RIPTION	WT/FT	GRD	THREAD	CONDT	LENGTH
		Shoe	Joint 39.19'						,
		WHI - 92 csg	g head				8rd	Α	0.98
7	8 5/8"	Maverick ST	&C csg		24#	J-55	8rd	Α	297.69
			GUIDE	shoe			8rd	Α	0.9
CASING INV	ENTORY B	AL.	FEET	JTS	TOTAL LEN	GTH OF ST	RING		299.54
TOTAL LENGTH OF STRING 299			299.54	7	LESS CUT OFF PIECE				
LESS NON CSG. ITEMS 1.8			1.85		PLUS DATUM TO T/CUT OFF CSG				
PLUS FULL	JTS. LEFT (	DUT	0		CASING SE	T DEPTH		L	309.54
	TOTAL		297.69	7	่า				
TOTAL CSG	. DEL. (W/O	THRDS)	297.69	7	∫} COMPAF	RE			
TIMING			1ST STAGE						
BEGIN RUN	CSG.	Spud	9/14/2005	10:00 AM	GOOD CIRC	C THRU JOE		Yes	
CSG. IN HO	LE		9/14/2005	5:00 PM	Bbls CMT C	IRC TO SUF	RFACE	3	
BEGIN CIRC	,		9/15/2005	7:59 AM	RECIPROC	ATED PIPE	FOR	<u>N</u> /A	_
BEGIN PUM	PCMT		9/15/2005	8:13 AM			_	******	· ·
BEGIN DSPI	L. CMT		9/15/2005	8:23 AM	BUMPED P	LUG TO		630	PSI
PLUG DOW	٧		9/15/2005	8:31 AM	:			<u></u>	
CEMENT US	ED			CEMENT CO	MPANY-	B. J.			
STAGE	# SX			CEMENT TYPE	PE & ADDITIV	/ES			
1	160	Class "G" w	/ 2% CaCL2 +	1/4#/sk Cello-F	lake mixed @	) 15.8 ppg 1.	17 cf/sk yield		
	<u></u>	<u>.</u>	··············	1					
CENTRALIZ	ER & SCRA	TCHER PLAC	CEMENT			SHOW MAK	E & SPACIN	IG	
Centralizer	s - Middle f	irst, top seco	ond & third for	- 3					
			10.11						

COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE Floyd Mitchell DATE 9/15/2005

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	EPARTMENT OF THE IN	NTERIOR			MB No. 1004-0135 pires January 31,2004
	BUREAU OF LAND MANA			5. Lease Serial No	0.
_ SUNDRY	NOTICES AND REPORTS form for proposals to	RTS ON WELLS		UTU39714	•
Do not use the	nis form for proposals to ell.  Use Form 3160-3 (AP	drill or to re-enter an D) for such proposals	<u>.                                    </u>	6. If Indian, Allott	ee or Tribe Name.
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SELECTION SUBMERENCE	interest - Other ind	factions duries les significations	del	7. If Unit or CA/A	greement, Name and/or No.
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l. Type of Well	_				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Oil Well Gas Well	Other			8. Well Name and	
Name of Operator     Newfield Production Company				FEDERAL 5-17	-9-18
3a. Address Route 3 Box 3630		3b. Phone No. (include are	code)	9. API Well No. 4304735561	
Myton, UT 84052		435.646.3721	,		l, or Exploratory Area
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec.	., T., R., M., or Survey Description	***		Monument Butte	
1980 FNL 663 FWL				11. County or Par	ish, State
SW/NW Section 17 T9S R1	8E			Uintah,UT	
12. CHECK	APPROPRIATE BOX(E	S) TO INIDICATE NA	TURE OF NO	OTICE, OR OT	HER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		TYPI	E OF ACTION		
under which the work will be perfor involved operations. If the operation	or recomplete horizontally, give subsur- med or provide the Bond No. on file via n results in a multiple completion or nonly after all requirements, including on Rig #155Set all equipme- ernal BLM field, & Roosever 7.875 hole with fresh water acce. PU & TIH with Guide	rface locations and measured and with BLM/BIA. Required subseq ecompletion in a new interval, a larcelamation, have been complete ont. Pressure test Kelly, left DOGM office was not to a depth of 5740'. La shoe, shoe jt, float colle & 3.43 vid. The 450 sks	Reclamati Recomple Temporar Water Dis  date of any proposed ruce vertical depths quent reports shall be Form 3160-4 shall be ed, and the operator  TIW, Choke m tifed of test. Pl y down drill st ar, 131 jt's of 5	ily Abandon iposal  d work and approximate of all pertinent marke of filed within 30 days of filed once testing he has determined that the samifold, & Bop's  J BHA and tag ring & BHA. Op  5 J-55, 15.5# of  d @ 14.4 ppg &	ers and zones. Attach the Bond following completion of the as been completed. Final he site is ready for final sto 2,000 psi. Test cernent @ 265'. Drill len hole log w/ sgn. Set @ 7521.73/ a 1.24 yld. Returned 0

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# NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY - CASING & CEMENT REPORT

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			5 1/2"	CASING SET	AT	5721.73				
					Fit clir @	5678'				
LAST CASIN	G <u>8 5/8"</u>	SET A	λΤ 3 <u>09'</u>		OPERATOR	₹	Newfield F	Production C	ompany	
DATUM	12' KB				WELL	Federal 5-	17-9-18			
DATUM TO	CUT OFF CA	SING _	12'		FIELD/PRO	SPECT _	Monumen	t Butte		
DATUM TO E	BRADENHE	AD FLANGE			CONTRACT	OR & RIG#		Patterson #	<sup>‡</sup> 155	
TD_DRILLER	5740*	LOGGE	ER							
HOLE SIZE	7 7/8"									
LOG OF CAS	SING STRIN	Ġ:								
PIECES	OD	ITEM - I	MAKE - DESCI	RIPTION	WT / FT	GRD	THREAD	CONDT	LENGTH	
		Landing Jt							14	
		Short jt	5.95' @ 3927'							
130	5 1/2"	ETC LT & C	casing		15.5#	J-55	8rd	Α	5664.23	
		Float collar							0.6	
1	5 1/2"	ETC LT&C o	esg		15.5#	J-55	8rd	Α	44.25	
			A	shoe			8rd	Α	0.65	
CASING INV	ENTORY BA	۸L.	FEET	JTS	TOTAL LEN	GTH OF ST	RING		5723.73	
TOTAL LENG	STH OF STR	RING	5723.73	131	LESS CUT	OFF PIECE			14	
LESS NON (			15.25		PLUS DATU	PLUS DATUM TO T/CUT OFF CSG 12				
PLUS FULL		UT	88.59		CASING SE	T DEPTH			5721.73	
	TOTAL		5797.07	133	١, ٠			•		
TOTAL CSG		THRDS)	5797.07	133	COMPAR	RE				
TIMING			1ST STAGE	2nd STAGE	1					
BEGIN RUN	CSG.		2:30pm	10/2/2005	GOOD CIRC	C THRU JOE	3	Yes		
CSG. IN HO	LE	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	5:30pm	10/2/2005	Bbis CMT C	IRC TO SUF	RFACE	0		
BEGIN CIRC	,	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	5:45pm	10/2/2005	RECIPROC	ATED PIPE	FOR	THRUSTROK	<u>Œ_</u>	
BEGIN PUM	P CMT		7:51pm	10/2/2005	DID BACK F	PRES. VALV	E HOLD ?	Yes		
BEGIN DSPI	CMT		8:48pm	10/2/2005	BUMPED P	LUG TO _		1973	PSI	
PLUG DOW	V		9:10pm	10/2/2005						
CEMENT US	ED			CEMENT CO	MPANY-	B. J.				
STAGE	# SX			CEMENT TYP	PE & ADDITIN	√E\$			****	
1	350	Premlite II w	/ 10% gel + 3 °	% KCL, 3#'s /s	k CSE + 2# s	k/kolseal + 1	/4#'s/sk Cello	Flake		
•	·	mixed @ 11	.0 ppg W / 3.43	cf/sk yield						
2	450	50/50 poz W	// 2% Gel + 3%	KCL, .5%EC1	,1/4# sk C.F.	2% gel. 3%	SM mixed @	14.4 ppg W/ 1	.24 YLD	
CENTRALIZ	ER & SCRA	CHER PLAC	CEMENT			SHOW MAI	KE & SPACIN	NG		
Centralizer	s - Middle fi	rst, top seco	ond & third. Ti	nen every thi	rd collar for	a total of 20	).			

COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE Don Bastian DATE 10/2/2005

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0135 Expires January 31,2004

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SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an							
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SUBMIT IN T	RIPLICATE - Other Instri	actions on re	verse side		7. If Unit or CA/A	Agreement, Name an	id/or No.
					SUNDANCE U	NIT	
1. Type of Well	THE STATE OF THE S				JOINDINGE	1.11	
🗓 Oil Well 🔲 Gas Well	Other				8. Well Name and	d No.	
2. Name of Operator					FEDERAL 5-17	7-9-18	
Newfield Production Company  3a. Address Route 3 Box 3630					9. API Well No.		
100000 3 200,1 5050		3b. Phone No. (ii	nciude are co	ode)	4304735561		
Myton, UT 84052		435.646.3721			10. Field and Poo Monument Butt	l, or Exploratory Are	ta
<ol> <li>Location of Well (Footage, Sec 1980 FNL 663 FWL</li> </ol>	., 1., R., M., Or Survey Description)	•			11. County or Par		
	or-				11. County of Fai	isii, state	
SW/NW Section 17 T9S R1	oe.				Uintah,UT		
12. CHECK	APPROPRIATE BOX(ES)	TO INIDICA	ATE NAT	URE OF NO	OTICE, OR O'I	THER DATA	•
TYPE OF SUBMISSION			TYPE (	OF ACTION			
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X Notice of Intent	Acidize	Deepen	į		n(Start/Resume)	Water Shut-O	
	Alter Casing	Fracture Tre		Reclamati		Well Integrity	r
Subsequent Report	Casing Repair	New Constr		Recomple		Other	-
Final Abandonment Notice	Change Plans	Plug & Aba	ndon	_	ily Abandon		
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injector	Plug Back		X Water Dis	posal		•
produced water is injected	onah, and Beluga water injer into approved Class II wells i criteria, is disposed at Newfic facilities.	to enhance Note to enhance Not	ewfield's s #4 disposa Accepte Jiah Di Jas a	econdary re	covery project. 7, T9S R19E) c		h
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I hereby certify that the foregoing is Name (Printed/Typed)	s true and correct	Title					
Mandie Crozier		Regulat	tory Specialis	st			
Signature	7	Date					•
1/ langle	Curies	10/27/	2005				
	THIS SPACE FOR	R FEDERAL	OR STA	TE OFFIC	EUSE		
Approved by			Title		Dat	te	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attack- certify that the applicant holds legal or e- which would entitle the applicant to cond	quitable title to those rights in the subjec		Office		RECE	IVED	
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#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0135 Expires January 31,2004

5.	Lease	Serial	No

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.					tee or Tribe Name.
SUBMIT IN T	RIPLICATE - Other Inst	ructions on reverse si	de	7. If Unit or CA/A SUNDANCE UN	greement, Name and/or No.
2. Name of Operator	Other			8. Well Name and FEDERAL 5-17	
Newfield Production Company				9. API Well No.	-9-18
3a. Address Route 3 Box 3630 Myton, UT 84052		3b. Phone No. (include are 435.646.3721	code)	4304735561	, or Exploratory Area
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec	., T., R., M., or Survey Description			Monument Butte	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
1980 FNL 663 FWL SW/NW Section 17 T9S R1	\$F			11. County or Pari	ish, State
				Uintah,UT	
	APPROPRIATE BOX(ES			OTICE, OR OT	HER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION		TYPE	E OF ACTION		
Notice of Intent     Subsequent Report	Acidize Alter Casing Casing Repair Change Plans	Deepen Fracture Treat New Construction Plug & Abandon	Reclamation		Water Shut-Off Well Integrity Other Variance
Final Abandonment Notice	Convert to Injector	Plug Back	Water Disp	-	
Abandonment Notices shall be filed inspection.)  Newfield Production Comp tanks to be equipped with I formation, which are relative separator to maximize gas.  Newfield is requesting a varied as surge of gas when the that as well as risk a fire hazard.  I hereby certify that the foregoing is	riance for safety reasons. C ief hatches are open. While I, under optimum conditions	e from Onshore Order 4 ne valves. Newfield open ncfpd). The majority of Crude oil production tan gauging tanks, lease o	and the operator had a CFR Part 3' erates wells the the wells are earlies and the wells are earlies will be perators will be	as determined that the left of	e site is ready for final equiring production the Green River three phase ure devices will emit
Name (Printed/Typed) Mandie Crozier	_	Regulatory Specia	alist		
Signature	(100	Date		ov the	
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abandoned well.	Use Form 316	80-3 (APD) f	or such p	roposais.

5. Lease Serial No.	-
UTU39714	
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name.	

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l. Type of Well				567.5711.62	
☑ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐	Other			8. Well Name and	
2. Name of Operator				FEDERAL 5-17-	9-18
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SW/NW Section 17 T9S R1	06			Uintah,UT	
12. CHECK	APPROPRIATE BOX(ES			OTICE, OR OT	HER DATA
TYPE OF SUBMISSION			TYPE OF ACTION		
Notice of Intent  Subsequent Report  Final Abandonment Notice	Acidize Alter Casing Casing Repair Change Plans Convert to Injector	Deepen Fracture Treat New Constructio Plug & Abandon Plug Back	Reclamation Recomple	ite ily Abandon	Water Shut-Off  Well Integrity  Other  Weekly Status Report
under which the work will be perfor involved operations. If the operation Abandonment Notices shall be filed inspection.)  Status report for time periods the well. A cement bond to with 20/40 mesh sand. Per Stage #2 (4394'-4403'),(43 stages. Fracs were flowed drilled out and well was clewell on sucker rods. Well well on sucker rods.	on procedures intiated in the g was run and a total of two forated intervals are as follo 84'-4388'). All perforations, back through chokes. A se eaned to 5676'. Zones were was placed on production vi	e Green River form or Green River inter ows: Stage #1 (54 were 4 JSPF. Co rvice rig was move swab tested for s a rod pump on 10	radion on 10-10-05 rvals were perforat 55'-5465'),(5402'-5 mposite flow-through over the well on and cleanup. A net	without the use ed and hydrauli 409'),(5337'-53; gh frac plugs we 10-24-2005. Br	s been completed. Final he site is ready for final of a service rig over cally fracture treated 53'),(5283'-5291'); here used between ridge plugs were
I hereby certify that the foregoing	is true and correct	Title			
Name (Printed/Typed) Lana Nebeker	$\cap \cap \cap$	Production	ı Clerk		
Signature (	Do La Val	Date 11/09/20	05	.,	
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SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE\* FORM APPROVED OMB NO. 1004-0137

Expires: February 28, 1995

5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO.

#### **UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT**

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WELL C	OMPLI	ETION (	OR R	ECOM	PLETION	RE	PORT A	ND LOG*	•	6. IF INDIAN		OR TRIBE NAME
a. TYPE OF WORK		OIL WELL		GAS WELL	DRY		Other			7. UNIT AGRE	EMENT NA	
b. TYPE OF WELL		WELL [		WELL L								
NEW V	work 🗀	ΙΓ		PLUG [	DIFF					8. FARM OR L		
	OVER	DEEPEN		BACK	RESVR.		Other			9. WELL NO.	Federal	5-17-9-18
NAME OF OPERATOR		Nev	vfield E	xploration	on Compan	У						7-35561
. ADDRESS AND TELEPHO		401 17th	St. Sui	te 1000	Denver, Co	0 8	0202			10. FIELD AND		wildcat <b>Ville Flat</b>
. LOCATION OF WELL		tions clearly ar	nd in accor	dance with a	ny State requireme	ents.*	')					OCK AND SURVEY
At Surface At top prod. Interval repor	ted below	1980	FINL	DOS FVVL (	SW/NW) Sec	. 17,	195, 1100			OR AREA	ec. 17,	T9S, R18E
it top prod. interval repor												
At total depth				14. API NO. 43-0	047-35561	ı	DATE ISSUED	3/11/04	ľ	12. COUNTY OI Uin	R PARISH I <b>tah</b>	I3. STATE
5. DATE SPUDDED 10 9/14/05	6. DATE T.D. R	EACHED /1/05	17. DA	TE COMPL. (R		1	18. ELEVATIONS (E 5086	OF, RKB, RT, GR. E	TC.)*	5098' KE		19. ELEV. CASINGHEAD
0. TOTAL DEPTH. MD & T		21. PLUG BACI	K T.D., MD		22. IF MULTIF	LE C		23. INTERVALS	ROTA	RY TOOLS	<b>'</b>	CABLE TOOLS
5920'			5862'		HOW MAN	NY*		DRILLED BY		Χ		
4. PRODUCING INTERVAL	.(S), OF THIS C		ГОР. ВОТТ			4' E	AGE!	<u> </u>	1			25. WAS DIRECTIONAL SURVEY MADE
				Green R	tiver 4384	-C-#	400					No
6. TYPE ELECTRIC AND O Dual Induction G	THER LOGS R Suard, SF	UN P, Compe	nsated	Density	, Compens	ated	d Neutron, (	GR, Caliper	, Ceme	ent Bond	Log	27. was well cored No
3. CASING SIZE/GR	ADE	WEIGHT.	I B /FT		G RECORD (Re	port	all strings set in v		EMENT, CEN	MENTING RECO	ORD	AMOUNT PULLED
8-5/8" - J-	8-5/8" - J-55 24# 310' 12-1/4" To surface with			160 sx Class "G" cmt								
5-1/2" - J-	55 .	15.5	D#	5	722'		7-7/8"	350 sx Prem	lite II and	450 SX 50	/50 Poz	
9.		LINE	R RECO				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	30.		TUBING REC		
SIZE	TOP (	MD)	BOTTO	OM (MD)	SACKS CEMENT	1.*	SCREEN (MD)	2-7/8"		EOT @	))	PACKER SET (MD)  TA @
										5540		5444'
1. PERFORATION RECOI	RD (Interval, si RVAL	ze and number)		ZE	SPF/NUMBE	-	32. DEPTH INTI	ACID, SHOT				EZE, ETC. MATERIAL USED
3,&4) 5283'-91', 5337'-		9', 5455'-65'		1"	4/164		5283'-					and in 1026 bbls fluid
(DS2&3) 4				7"	4/52		4384'-		Frac	w/ 32,909#	20/40 sa	and in 357 bbls fluid
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33.*			<u> </u>		PROD	UCT	ION		1			
DATE FIRST PRODUCTION 10/25/05		PRODUCTION			lift, pumpingsize at 1-1/2" x 14'		c of pump) IAC SM Plu	nger Pump				ATUS (Producing or shut-in) RODUCING
DATE OF TEST		RS TESTED	СНОК				BBLS.	GASMCF.		RBBL.		GAS-OII. RATIO
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LOW, TUBING PRESS.	CAS	ING PRESSURI		ILATED FR RATE	OIL-BBL.		GASMCF.		WATER-	-BBL. (	ÐIL GRAVIT	TY-API (CORR.)
4. DISPOSITION OF GAS (S	Sold, used for fu	iel, vented, etc.)	Sold	> & Used	for Fuel	-				TEST WITNES:	SFD BY	
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Re: Final Permit

EPA UIC Permit UT21138-07687

Federal 5-17-9-18 Uintah County, Utah API No.: 43-047-35561

Dear Mr. Sundberg:

Enclosed is your copy of the FINAL Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permit for the proposed Federal 5-17-9-18 injection well. A Statement of Basis that discusses the conditions and requirements of this EPA UIC Permit, is also included.

The Public Comment period for this Permit ended on AUG 1 5 2008. No comments on the Draft Permit were received during the Public Notice period; therefore the Effective Date for this EPA UIC Permit is the date of issuance. All conditions set forth herein refer to Title 40 Parts 124, 144, 146, and 147 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) and are regulations that are in effect as of the Effective Date of this Permit.

Please note that under the terms and conditions of this Final Permit you are authorized only to construct the proposed injection well. Prior to commencing injection, you first must fulfill all "Prior to Commencing Injection" requirements of the Final Permit, Part II Section C Subpart 1, and obtain written Authorization to Inject from the EPA. It is your responsibility to be familiar with and to comply with all provisions of your Final Permit. The EPA forms that are referenced in the permit can be found at

http://www.epa.gov/safewater/uic/reportingforms.html. Guidance documents for Cement Bond Logging, Radioactive Tracer testing, Step Rate testing, Mechanical Integrity demonstration, Procedure in the Event of a Mechanical Integrity Loss, and other UIC guidances, are available at http://www.epa.gov/region8/water/uic/ deep\_injection.html. Upon request, hard copies of the EPA forms and guidances can be provided.



This EPA UIC Permit is issued for the operating life of the well unless terminated (Part III, Section B). The EPA may review this Permit at least every five (5) years to determine whether any action is warranted pursuant to 40 CFR § 144.36(a).

If you have any questions on the enclosed Final Permit or Statement of Basis, please call Emmett Schmitz of my staff at (303) 312-6174, or toll-free at (800) 227-8917, ext. 312-6174.

Sincerely,

Stephen S. Tuber

Assistant Regional Administrator

Office of Partnerships and Regulatory Assistance

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Final UIC Permit

Statement of Basis

Form 7520-7 Application to Transfer Permit

Form 7520-11 Monitoring Report Form 7520-12 Rework Record Form 7520-13 Plugging Record

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# UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PROGRAM PERMIT

PREPARED: August 2008

Permit No. UT21138-07687

Class II Enhanced Oil Recovery Injection Well

Federal 5-17-9-18 Uintah County, UT

Issued To

**Newfield Production Company** 

1001 Seventeenth Street, Suite 2000 Denver, CO 80202

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#### Part I. AUTHORIZATION TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE

Under the authority of the Safe Drinking Water Act and Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program regulations of the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) codified at Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR) Parts 2, 124, 144, 146, and 147, and according to the terms of this Permit,

Newfield Production Company 1001 Seventeenth Street, Suite 2000 Denver, CO 80202

is authorized to construct and to operate the following Class II injection well or wells:

Federal 5-17-9-18 1980' FNL & 663' FWL, SWNW S17, T9S, R18E Uintah County, UT

EPA regulates the injection of fluids into injection wells so that injection does not endanger underground sources of drinking water (USDWs). EPA UIC Permit conditions are based on authorities set forth at 40 CFR Parts 144 and 146, and address potential impacts to USDWs.

Under 40 CFR Part 144, Subpart D, certain conditions apply to all UIC Permits and may be incorporated either expressly or by reference. General permit conditions for which the content is mandatory and not subject to site-specific differences are not discussed in this document. Issuance of this Permit does not convey any property rights of any sort or any exclusive privilege, nor does it authorize injury to persons or property or invasion of other private rights, or any infringement of other Federal, State or local laws or regulations. (40 CFR §144.35) An EPA UIC Permit may be issued for the operating life of the injection well or project unless terminated for reasonable cause under 40 CFR §§144.39, 144.40 and 144.41, and may be reviewed at least once every five (5) years to determine if action is required under 40 CFR §144.36(a).

This Permit is issued for the life of the well(s) unless modified, revoked and reissued, or terminated under 40 CFR 144.39 or 144.40. This EPA Permit may be adopted, modified, revoked and reissued, or terminated if primary enforcement authority for a UIC Program is delegated to an Indian Tribe or State. Upon the effective date of delegation, reports, notifications, questions and other correspondence should be directed to the Indian Tribe or State Director.

Issue Date: 6 8 108 Effective Date

Stephen S. Tuber

Assistant Regional Administrator\*

Office of Partnerships and Regulatory Assistance

\*NOTE: The person holding this title is referred to as the "Director" throughout this Permit.

#### PART II. SPECIFIC PERMIT CONDITIONS

#### Section A. WELL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

These requirements represent the approved minimum construction standards for well casing and cement, injection tubing, and packer.

Details of the approved well construction plan are incorporated into this Permit as APPENDIX A. Changes to the approved plan that may occur during construction must be approved by the Director prior to being physically incorporated.

#### 1. Casing and Cement.

The well or wells shall be cased and cemented to prevent the movement of fluids into or between underground sources of drinking water. The well casing and cement shall be designed for the life expectancy of the well and of the grade and size shown in APPENDIX A. Remedial cementing may be required if shown to be inadequate by cement bond log or other attempted demonstration of Part II (External) mechanical integrity.

#### 2. Injection Tubing and Packer.

Injection tubing is required, and shall be run and set with a packer at or below the depth indicated in APPENDIX A. The packer setting depth may be changed provided it remains below the depth indicated in APPENDIX A and the Permittee provides notice and obtains the Director's approval for the change.

#### 3. Sampling and Monitoring Devices.

The Permittee shall install and maintain in good operating condition:

- (a) a "tap" at a conveniently accessible location on the injection flow line between the pump house or storage tanks and the injection well, isolated by shut-off valves, for collection of representative samples of the injected fluid; and
- (b) one-half (1/2) inch female iron pipe fitting, isolated by shut-off valves and located at the wellhead at a conveniently accessible location, for the attachment of a pressure gauge capable of monitoring pressures ranging from normal operating pressures up to the Maximum Allowable Injection Pressure specified in APPENDIX C:
  - (i) on the injection tubing; and
  - (ii) on the tubing-casing annulus (TCA); and
- (c) a pressure actuated shut-off device attached to the injection flow line set to shutoff the injection pump when or before the Maximum Allowable Injection Pressure (MAIP) specified in APPENDIX C is reached at the wellhead; and
- (d) a non-resettable cumulative volume recorder attached to the injection line.

#### 4. Well Logging and Testing

Well logging and testing requirements are found in APPENDIX B. The Permittee shall ensure the log and test requirements are performed within the time frames specified in APPENDIX B. Well logs and tests shall be performed according to current EPA-approved procedures. Well log and test results shall be submitted to the Director within sixty (60) days of completion of the logging or testing activity, and shall include a report describing the methods used during logging or testing and an interpretation of the test or log results.

#### 5. Postponement of Construction or Conversion

The Permittee shall complete well construction within one year of the Effective Date of the Permit, or in the case of an Area Permit within one year of Authorization of the additional well. Authorization to construct and operate shall expire if the well has not been constructed within one year of the Effective Date of the Permit or Authorization and the Permit may be terminated under 40 CFR 144.40, unless the Permittee has notified the Director and requested an extension prior to expiration. Notification shall be in writing, and shall state the reasons for the delay and provide an estimated completion date. Once Authorization has expired under this part, the complete permit process including opportunity for public comment may be required before Authorization to construct and operate may be reissued.

#### 6. Workovers and Alterations

Workovers and alterations shall meet all conditions of the Permit. Prior to beginning any addition or physical alteration to an injection well that may significantly affect the tubing, packer or casing, the Permittee shall give advance notice to the Director and obtain the Director's approval. The Permittee shall record all changes to well construction on a Well Rework Record (EPA Form 7520-12), and shall provide this and any other record of well workover, logging, or test data to EPA within sixty (60) days of completion of the activity.

A successful demonstration of Part I MI is required following the completion of any well workover or alteration which affects the casing, tubing, or packer. Injection operations shall not be resumed until the well has successfully demonstrated mechanical integrity and the Director has provided written approval to resume injection.

#### Section B. MECHANICAL INTEGRITY

The Permittee is required to ensure each injection well maintains mechanical integrity at all times. The Director, by written notice, may require the Permittee to comply with a schedule describing when mechanical integrity demonstrations shall be made.

An injection well has mechanical integrity if:

- (a) There is no significant leak in the casing, tubing, or packer (Part I); and
- (b) There is no significant fluid movement into an underground source of drinking water through vertical channels adjacent to the injection well bore (Part II).

#### 1. Demonstration of Mechanical Integrity (MI).

The operator shall demonstrate MI prior to commencing injection and periodically thereafter. Well-specific conditions dictate the methods and the frequency for demonstrating MI and are discussed in the Statement of Basis. The logs and tests are designed to demonstrate both internal (Part I) and external (Part II) MI as described above. The conditions present at this well site warrant the methods and frequency required in Appendix B of this Permit.

In addition to these regularly scheduled demonstrations of MI, the operator shall demonstrate internal (Part I) MI after any workover which affects the tubing, packer or casing.

The Director may require additional or alternative tests if the results presented by the operator are not satisfactory to the Director to demonstrate there is no movement of fluid into or between USDWs resulting from injection activity. Results of MI tests shall be submitted to the Director as soon as possible but no later than sixty (60) days after the test is complete.

## 2. Mechanical Integrity Test Methods and Criteria

EPA-approved methods shall be used to demonstrate mechanical integrity. Ground Water Section Guidance No. 34 "Cement Bond Logging Techniques and Interpretation", Ground Water Section Guidance No. 37, "Demonstrating Part II (External) Mechanical Integrity for a Class II injection well permit", and Ground Water Section Guidance No. 39, "Pressure Testing Injection Wells for Part I (Internal) Mechanical Integrity" are available from EPA and will be provided upon request.

The Director may stipulate specific test methods and criteria best suited for a specific well construction and injection operation.

#### 3. Notification Prior to Testing.

The Permittee shall notify the Director at least 30 days prior to any scheduled mechanical integrity test. The Director may allow a shorter notification period if it would be sufficient to enable EPA to witness the mechanical integrity test. Notification may be in the form of a yearly or quarterly schedule of planned mechanical integrity tests, or it may be on an individual basis.

## 4. Loss of Mechanical Integrity.

If the well fails to demonstrate mechanical integrity during a test, or a loss of mechanical integrity becomes evident during operation (such as presence of pressure in the TCA, water flowing at the surface, etc.), the Permittee shall notify the Director within 24 hours (see Part III Section E Paragraph 11(e) of this Permit) and the well shall be shut-in within 48 hours unless the Director requires immediate shut-in.

Within five days, the Permittee shall submit a follow-up written report that documents test results, repairs undertaken or a proposed remedial action plan.

Injection operations shall not be resumed until after the well has successfully been repaired and demonstrated mechanical integrity, and the Director has provided approval to resume injection.

#### Section C. WELL OPERATION

INJECTION BETWEEN THE OUTERMOST CASING PROTECTING UNDERGROUND SOURCES OF DRINKING WATER AND THE WELL BORE IS PROHIBITED.

Injection is approved under the following conditions:

#### 1. Requirements Prior to Commencing Injection.

Well injection, including for new wells authorized by an Area Permit under 40 CFR 144.33 (c), may commence only after all well construction and pre-injection requirements herein have been met and approved. The Permittee may not commence injection until construction is complete, and

- (a) The Permittee has submitted to the Director a notice of completion of construction and a completed EPA Form 7520-10 or 7520-12; all applicable logging and testing requirements of this Permit (see APPENDIX B) have been fulfilled and the records submitted to the Director; mechanical integrity pursuant to 40 CFR 146.8 and Part II Section B of this Permit has been demonstrated; and
  - (i) The Director has inspected or otherwise reviewed the new injection well and finds it is in compliance with the conditions of the Permit; or
  - (ii) The Permittee has not received notice from the Director of his or her intent to inspect or otherwise review the new injection well within 13 days of the date of the notice in Paragraph 1a, in which case prior inspection or review is waived and the Permittee may commence injection.

#### 2. Injection Interval.

Injection is permitted only within the approved injection interval, listed in APPENDIX C. Additional individual injection perforations may be added provided that they remain within the approved injection interval and the Permittee provides notice to the Director in accordance with Part II, Section A, Paragraph 6.

#### 3. Injection Pressure Limitation

- (a) The permitted Maximum Allowable Injection Pressure (MAIP), measured at the wellhead, is found in APPENDIX C. Injection pressure shall not exceed the amount the Director determines is appropriate to ensure that injection does not initiate new fractures or propagate existing fractures in the confining zone adjacent to USDWs. In no case shall injection pressure cause the movement of injection or formation fluids into a USDW.
- (b) The Permittee may request a change of the MAIP, or the MAIP may be increased or decreased by the Director in order to ensure that the requirements in Paragraph (a) above are fulfilled. The Permitee may be required to conduct a step rate injection test or other suitable test to provide information for determining the fracture pressure of the injection zone. Change of the permitted MAIP by the Director shall be by modification of this Permit and APPENDIX C.

#### 4. Injection Volume Limitation.

Injection volume is limited to the total volume specified in APPENDIX C.

#### 5. Injection Fluid Limitation.

Injected fluids are limited to those identified in 40 CFR 144.6(b)(2) as fluids used for enhanced recovery of oil or natural gas, including those which are brought to the surface in connection with conventional oil or natural gas production that may be commingled with waste waters from gas plants which are an integral part of production operations unless those waters are classified as a hazardous waste at the time of injection, pursuant to 40 CFR 144.6(b). Non-exempt wastes, including unused fracturing fluids or acids, gas plant cooling tower cleaning wastes, service wastes and vacuum truck wastes, are NOT approved for injection. This well is NOT approved for commercial brine injection, industrial waste fluid disposal or injection of hazardous waste as defined by CFR 40 Part 261. The Permittee shall provide a listing of the sources of injected fluids in accordance with the reporting requirements in Part II Section D Paragraph 4 and APPENDIX D of this Permit.

#### 6. Tubing-Casing Annulus (TCA)

The tubing-casing annulus (TCA) shall be filled with water treated with a corrosion inhibitor, or other fluid approved by the Director. The TCA valve shall remain closed during normal operating conditions and the TCA pressure shall be maintained at zero (0) psi.

If TCA pressure cannot be maintained at zero (0) psi, the Permittee shall follow the procedures in Ground Water Section Guidance No. 35 "Procedures to follow when excessive annular pressure is observed on a well."

# Section D. MONITORING, RECORDKEEPING, AND REPORTING OF RESULTS

#### 1. Monitoring Parameters, Frequency, Records and Reports.

Monitoring parameters are specified in APPENDIX D. Pressure monitoring recordings shall be taken at the wellhead. The listed parameters are to be monitored, recorded and reported at the frequency indicated in APPENDIX D even during periods when the well is not operating.

Monitoring records must include:

- (a) the date, time, exact place and the results of the observation, sampling, measurement, or analysis, and;
- (b) the name of the individual(s) who performed the observation, sampling, measurement, or analysis, and;
- (c) the analytical techniques or methods used for analysis.

#### 2. Monitoring Methods.

(a) Monitoring observations, measurements, samples, etc. taken for the purpose of complying with these requirements shall be representative of the activity or condition being monitored.

- (b) Methods used to monitor the nature of the injected fluids must comply with analytical methods cited and described in Table 1 of 40 CFR 136.3 or Appendix III of 40 CFR 261, or by other methods that have been approved in writing by the Director.
- (c) Injection pressure, annulus pressure, injection rate, and cumulative injected volumes shall be observed and recorded at the wellhead under normal operating conditions, and all parameters shall be observed simultaneously to provide a clear depiction of well operation.
- (d) Pressures are to be measured in pounds per square inch (psi).
- (e) Fluid volumes are to be measured in standard oil field barrels (bbl).
- (f) Fluid rates are to be measured in barrels per day (bbl/day).

#### 3. Records Retention.

- (a) Records of calibration and maintenance, and all original strip chart recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, copies of all reports required by this permit, and records of all data used to complete the application for this permit shall be retained for a period of AT LEAST THREE (3) YEARS from the date of the sample, measurement, report, or application. This period may be extended anytime prior to its expiration by request of the Director.
- (b) Records of the nature and composition of all injected fluids must be retained until three (3) years after the completion of any plugging and abandonment (P&A) procedures specified under 40 CFR 144.52(a)(6) or under Part 146 Subpart G, as appropriate. The Director may require the Permittee to deliver the records to the Director at the conclusion of the retention period. The Permittee shall continue to retain the records after the three (3) year retention period unless the Permittee delivers the records to the Director or obtains written approval from the Director to discard the records.

#### 4. Annual Reports.

Whether the well is operating or not, the Permittee shall submit an Annual Report to the Director that summarizes the results of the monitoring required by Part II Section D and APPENDIX D.

The first Annual Report shall cover the period from the effective date of the Permit through December 31 of that year. Subsequent Annual Reports shall cover the period from January 1 through December 31 of the reporting year. Annual Reports shall be submitted by February 15 of the year following data collection. EPA Form 7520-11 may be copied and shall be used to submit the Annual Report, however, the monitoring requirements specified in this Permit are mandatory even if EPA Form 7520-11 indicates otherwise.

#### Section E. PLUGGING AND ABANDONMENT

#### 1. Notification of Well Abandonment, Conversion or Closure.

The Permittee shall notify the Director in writing at least forty-five (45) days prior to: 1) plugging and abandoning an injection well, 2) converting to a non-injection well, and 3) in the case of an Area Permit, before closure of the project.

#### 2. Well Plugging Requirements

Prior to abandonment, the injection well shall be plugged with cement in a manner which isolates the injection zone and prevents the movement of fluids into or between underground sources of drinking water, and in accordance with 40 CFR 146.10 and other applicable Federal, State or local law or regulations. Tubing, packer and other downhole apparatus shall be removed. Cement with additives such as accelerators and retarders that control or enhance cement properties may be used for plugs; however, volume-extending additives and gel cements are not approved for plug use. Plug placement shall be verified by tagging. Plugging gel of at least 9.6 lb/gal shall be placed between all plugs. A minimum 50 ft surface plug shall be set inside and outside of the surface casing to seal pathways for fluid migration into the subsurface. The Plugging Record must be certified as accurate and complete by the person responsible for the plugging operation. Prior to placement of the cement plug(s) the well shall be in a state of static equilibrium with the mud weight equalized top to bottom, either by circulating the mud in the well at least once or by a comparable method prescribed by the Director.

#### 3. Approved Plugging and Abandonment Plan.

The approved plugging and abandonment plan is incorporated into this Permit as APPENDIX E. Changes to the approved plugging and abandonment plan must be approved by the Director prior to beginning plugging operations. The Director also may require revision of the approved plugging and abandonment plan at any time prior to plugging the well.

# 4. Forty Five (45) Day Notice of Plugging and Abandonment.

The Permittee shall notify the Director at least forty-five (45) days prior to plugging and abandoning a well and provide notice of any anticipated change to the approved plugging and abanonment plan.

#### 5. Plugging and Abandonment Report.

Within sixty (60) days after plugging a well, the Permittee shall submit a report (EPA Form 7520-13) to the Director. The plugging report shall be certified as accurate by the person who performed the plugging operation. Such report shall consist of either:

- (a) A statement that the well was plugged in accordance with the approved plugging and abandonment plan; or
- (b) Where actual plugging differed from the approved plugging and abandonment plan, an updated version of the plan, on the form supplied by the Director, specifying the differences.

#### 6. Inactive Wells.

After any period of two years during which there is no injection the Permittee shall plug and abandon the well in accordance with Part II Section E Paragraph 2 of this Permit unless the Permittee:

- (a) Provides written notice to the Director;
- (b) Describes the actions or procedures the Permittee will take to ensure that the well will not endanger USDWs during the period of inactivity. These actions and procedures shall include compliance with mechanical integrity demonstration, Financial Responsibility and all other permit requirements designed to protect USDWs; and
- (c) Receives written notice by the Director temporarily waiving plugging and abandonment requirements.

#### PART III. CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL PERMITS

#### Section A. EFFECT OF PERMIT

The Permittee is allowed to engage in underground injection in accordance with the conditions of this Permit. The Permittee shall not construct, operate, maintain, convert, plug, abandon, or conduct any other activity in a manner that allows the movement of fluid containing any contaminant into underground sources of drinking water, if the presence of that contaminant may cause a violation of any primary drinking water regulation under 40 CFR 142 or may otherwise adversely affect the health of persons. Any underground injection activity not authorized by this Permit or by rule is prohibited. Issuance of this Permit does not convey property rights of any sort or any exclusive privilege; nor does it authorize any injury to persons or property, any invasion of other private rights, or any infringement of any other Federal, State or local law or regulations. Compliance with the terms of this Permit does not constitute a defense to any enforcement action brought under the provisions of Section 1431 of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) or any other law governing protection of public health or the environment, for any imminent and substantial endangerment to human health or the environment, nor does it serve as a shield to the Permittee's independent obligation to comply with all UIC regulations. Nothing in this Permit relieves the Permittee of any duties under applicable regulations.

#### Section B. CHANGES TO PERMIT CONDITIONS

#### 1. Modification, Reissuance, or Termination.

The Director may, for cause or upon a request from the Permittee, modify, revoke and reissue, or terminate this Permit in accordance with 40 CFR 124.5, 144.12, 144.39, and 144.40. Also, this Permit is subject to minor modification for causes as specified in 40 CFR 144.41. The filing of a request for modification, revocation and reissuance, termination, or the notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance on the part of the Permittee does not stay the applicability or enforceability of any condition of this Permit.

#### 2. Conversions.

The Director may, for cause or upon a written request from the Permittee, allow conversion of the well from a Class II injection well to a non-Class II well. Conversion may not proceed until the Permittee receives written approval from the Director. Conditions of such conversion may include but are not limited to, approval of the proposed well rework, follow up demonstration of mechanical integrity, well-specific monitoring and reporting following the conversion, and demonstration of practical use of the converted configuration.

#### 3. Transfer of Permit.

Under 40 CFR 144.38, this Permit is transferable provided the current Permittee notifies the Director at least thirty (30) days in advance of the proposed transfer date (EPA Form 7520-7) and provides a written agreement between the existing and new Permittees containing a specific date for transfer of Permit responsibility, coverage and liability between them. The notice shall adequately demonstrate that the financial responsibility requirements of 40 CFR 144.52(a)(7) will be met by the new Permittee. The Director may require modification or revocation and reissuance of the Permit to change the name of the Permittee and incorporate such other requirements as may be necessary under the Safe Drinking Water Act; in some cases, modification or revocation and reissuance is mandatory.

#### 4. Permittee Change of Address.

Upon the Permittee's change of address, or whenever the operator changes the address where monitoring records are kept, the Permittee must provide written notice to the Director within 30 days.

## 5. Construction Changes, Workovers, Logging and Testing Data

The Permittee shall give advance notice to the Director, and shall obtain the Director's written approval prior to any physical alterations or additions to the permitted facility. Alterations or workovers shall meet all conditions as set forth in this permit. The Permittee shall record any changes to the well construction on a Well Rework Record (EPA Form 7520-12), and shall provide this and any other record of well workovers, logging, or test data to EPA within sixty (60) days of completion of the activity.

Following the completion of any well workovers or alterations which affect the casing, tubing, or packer, a successful demonstration of mechanical integrity (Part III, Section F of this Permit) shall be made, and written authorization from the Director received, prior to resuming injection activities.

#### Section C. SEVERABILITY

The Provisions of this Permit are severable, and if any provision of this Permit or the application of any provision of this Permit to any circumstance, is held invalid, the application of such provision to other circumstances, and the remainder of this Permit shall not be affected thereby.

#### Section D. CONFIDENTIALITY

In accordance with 40 CFR Part 2 and 40 CFR 144.5, information submitted to EPA pursuant to this Permit may be claimed as confidential by the submitter. Any such claim must be asserted at the time of submission by stamping the words "confidential business information" on each page containing such information. If no claim is made at the time of submission, EPA may make the information available to the public without further notice. If a claim is asserted, the validity of the claim will be assessed in accordance with the procedures in 40 CFR Part 2 (Public Information). Claims of confidentiality for the following information will be denied:

- The name and address of the Permittee, and
- information which deals with the existence, absence or level of contaminants in drinking water.

#### Section E. GENERAL PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

#### 1. Duty to Comply.

The Permittee must comply with all conditions of this Permit. Any noncompliance constitutes a violation of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) and is grounds for enforcement action; for Permit termination, revocation and reissuance, or modification; or for denial of a permit renewal application; except that the Permittee need not comply with the provisions of this Permit to the extent and for the duration such noncompliance is authorized in an emergency permit under 40 CFR 144.34. All violations of the SDWA may subject the Permittee to penalties and/or criminal prosecution as specified in Section 1423 of the SDWA.

#### 2. Duty to Reapply.

If the Permittee wishes to continue an activity regulated by this Permit after the expiration date of this Permit, under 40 CFR 144.37 the Permittee must apply for a new permit prior to the expiration date.

#### 3. Need to Halt or Reduce Activity Not a Defense.

It shall not be a defense for a Permittee in an enforcement action that it would have been necessary to halt or reduce the permitted activity in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of this Permit.

#### 4. Duty to Mitigate.

The Permittee shall take all reasonable steps to minimize or correct any adverse impact on the environment resulting from noncompliance with this Permit.

#### 5. Proper Operation and Maintenance.

The Permittee shall at all times properly operate and maintain all facilities and systems of treatment and control (and related appurtenances) which are installed or used by the Permittee to achieve compliance with the conditions of this Permit. Proper operation and maintenance includes effective performance, adequate funding, adequate operator staffing and training, and adequate laboratory and process controls, including appropriate quality assurance procedures. This provision requires the operation of back-up or auxiliary facilities or similar systems only when necessary to achieve compliance with the conditions of this Permit.

#### 6. Permit Actions.

This Permit may be modified, revoked and reissued or teminated for cause. The filing of a request by the Permittee for a permit modification, revocation and reissuance, or termination, or a notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance, does not stay any permit condition.

#### 7. Property Rights.

This Permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privilege.

#### 8. Duty to Provide Information.

The Permittee shall furnish to the Director, within a time specified, any information which the Director may request to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating this permit, or to determine compliance with this permit. The Permittee shall also furnish to the Director, upon request, copies of records required to be kept by this Permit. The Permittee is required to submit any information required by this Permit or by the Director to the mailing address designated in writing by the Director.

#### 9. Inspection and Entry.

The Permittee shall allow the Director, or an authorized representative, upon the presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law, to:

 (a) Enter upon the Permittee's premises where a regulated facility or activity is located or conducted, or where records must be kept under the conditions of this Permit;

- (b) Have access to and copy, at reasonable times, any records that must be kept under the conditions of this Permit;
- (c) Inspect at reasonable times any facilities, equipment (including monitoring and control equipment), practices, or operations regulated or required under this Permit; and,
- (d) Sample or monitor at reasonable times, for the purpose of assuring permit compliance or as otherwise authorized by the SDWA, any substances or parameters at any location.

#### 10. Signatory Requirements.

All applications, reports or other information submitted to the Director shall be signed and certified according to 40 CFR 144.32. This section explains the requirements for persons duly authorized to sign documents, and provides wording for required certification.

#### 11. Reporting Requirements.

- (a) Planned changes. The Permittee shall give notice to the Director as soon as possible of any planned changes, physical alterations or additions to the permitted facility, and prior to commencing such changes.
- (b) Anticipated noncompliance. The Permittee shall give advance notice to the Director of any planned changes in the permitted facility or activity which may result in noncompliance with permit requirements.
- (c) Monitoring Reports. Monitoring results shall be reported at the intervals specified in this Permit.
- (d) Compliance schedules. Reports of compliance or noncompliance with, or any progress reports on, interim and final requirements contained in any compliance schedule of this Permit shall be submitted no later than 30 days following each schedule date.
- (e) Twenty-four hour reporting. The Permittee shall report to the Director any noncompliance which may endanger human health or the environment, including:
  - (i) Any monitoring or other information which indicates that any contaminant may cause endangerment to a USDW; or
  - (ii) Any noncompliance with a permit condition or malfunction of the injection system which may cause fluid migration into or between USDWs.

Information shall be provided, either directly or by leaving a message, within twenty-four (24) hours from the time the permittee becomes aware of the circumstances by telephoning (800) 227-8917 and requesting EPA Region VIII UIC Program Compliance and Technical Enforcement Director, or by contacting the EPA Region VIII Emergency Operations Center at (303) 293-1788.

In addition, a follow up written report shall be provided to the Director within five (5) days of the time the Permittee becomes aware of the circumstances. The written submission shall contain a description of the noncompliance and its cause, the period of noncompliance including exact dates and times, and if the noncompliance has not been corrected the anticipated time it is expected to continue; and the steps taken or planned to reduce, eliminate, and prevent recurrence of the noncompliance.

- (f) Oil Spill and Chemical Release Reporting: The Permittee shall comply with all reporting requirements related to the occurence of oil spills and chemical releases by contacting the National Response Center (NRC) at (800) 424-8802, (202) 267-2675, or through the NRC website http://www.nrc.uscg.mil/index.htm.
- (g) Other Noncompliance. The Permittee shall report all instances of noncompliance not reported under paragraphs Part III, Section E Paragraph 11(b) or Section E, Paragraph 11(e) at the time the monitoring reports are submitted. The reports shall contain the information listed in Paragraph 11(e) of this Section.
- (h) Other information. Where the Permittee becomes aware that it failed to submit any relevant facts in the permit application, or submitted incorrect information in a permit application or in any report to the Director, the Permittee shall promptly submit such facts or information to the Director.

#### Section F. FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

#### 1. Method of Providing Financial Responsibility.

The Permittee shall maintain continuous compliance with the requirement to maintain financial responsibility and resources to close, plug, and abandon the underground injection well(s). No substitution of a demonstration of financial responsibility shall become effective until the Permittee receives written notification from the Director that the alternative demonstration of financial responsibility is acceptable. The Director may, on a periodic basis, require the holder of a permit to revise the estimate of the resources needed to plug and abandon the well to reflect changes in such costs and may require the Permittee to provide a revised demonstration of financial responsibility.

#### 2. Insolvency.

In the event of:

- (a) the bankruptcy of the trustee or issuing institution of the financial mechanism; or
- (b) suspension or revocation of the authority of the trustee institution to act as trustee; or

(c) the institution issuing the financial mechanism losing its authority to issue such an instrument

the Permittee must notify the Director in writing, within ten (10) business days, and the Permittee must establish other financial assurance or liability coverage acceptable to the Director within sixty (60) days after any event specified in (a), (b), or (c) above.

The Permittee must also notify the Director by certified mail of the commencement of voluntary or involuntary proceedings under Title 11 (Bankruptcy), U.S. Code naming the owner or operator as debtor, within ten (10) business days after the commencement of the proceeding. A guarantor, if named as debtor of a corporate guarantee, must make such a notification as required under the terms of the guarantee.

#### APPENDIX A

#### WELL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

See diagram.

The Federal No. 5-17-9-18 was drilled to a total depth of 5740 feet (KB) feet in the Basal Carbonate Member of the Green River Formation.

Surface casing (8-5/8 inch) was set at a depth of 310 feet in a 12-1/4 inch hole using 160 sacks of Class "G" cement which was circulated to the surface.

Production casing (5-1/2 inch) was set at a depth of 5722 feet (KB) in a 7-7/8 inch hole with 350 sacks of Premium Lite II and 450 sacks of 50/50 poz mix. This well construction is considered adequate to protect USDWs.

The EPA calculates the top of cement as 555 feet from the surface. The Cement Bond Log (CBL) identifies top of cement at 315 feet. CBL analysis does identify adequate 80% bond index cement bond within the Confining Zone.

The schematic diagram shows enhanced recovery injection perforations in the Garden Gulch and Douglas Creek Members of the Green River Formation. Additional perforations may be added at a later time between the depths of 3514 feet and the top of the Wasatch Formation (Estimated to be 5771 feet) provided the operator first notifies the Director and later submits an updated well completion report (EPA Form 7520-12) and schematic diagram.

The packer will be set no higher than 100 feet above the top perforation.

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# Federal 5-17-9-18

Spud Date: 9-14-05 Put on Production: 10-25-05 GL: 5086' KB: 5098'

1980' FNL & 663' FWL

SW/NW Section 17-T9S-R18E Uintah Co, Utah

API #43-047-35561; Lease #UTU-39714

Proposed Injection Wellbore Diagram Initial Production: 49 BOPD, 44 MCFD, 45 BWPD

FRAC JOB 10-21-05 5283-5465 Frac CP1, CP2, CP3, CP4 sands as follows: 150856# 20/40 sand in 1026 bbls Lightning 17 frac fluid. Treated @ avg press of 1481 psi w/avg rate of 39.7 BPM. ISIP 1560 psi. Caic flush: 5281 gal. Actual flush: 4948 gal. SURFACE CASING CSG SIZE: 8-5/8" Frac DS2, DS3 sands as follows: GRADE: J-55 32909# 20/40 sand in 357 bbls Lightning 17 frac fluid. Treated @ avg press of 2036 psi w/avg rate of 15.5 BPM, ISIP 2490 psi, Calc Cement top @ 315' WEIGHT: 24# 555 TOC/EPACE 08/16/06 LENGTH: 7 jts. (297.69') flush: 4382 gal. Actual flush: 4284 gal. DEPTH LANDED: 309.54 KB B25E USDWs (596 Pump Change. Update rod and tubing details. HÖLE SIZE: 12-1/4" CEMENT DATA: 160 sxs Class "G" cmt, est 3 bbls cmt to surf. 1117 Green River PRODUCTION CASING CSG SIZE: 5-1/2" 2698' Tronz 2739- 2757' Mahogany Bench GRADE: J-55 WEIGHT: 15.5# LENGTH: 131 jts. (5708.48') DEPTH LANDED; 5721.73' KB HOLE SIZE: 7-7/8" CEMENT DATA: 350 sxs Prem. Lite II mixed & 450 sxs 50/50 POZ. 3469-3514 Confining Zone 3514 Garden Gulch 80% Bond TUBING 80% Bond SIZE/GRADE/WT.; 2-7/8" / J-55 / 6.5# NO. OF JOINTS: 172 its (5431.86') TUBING ANCHOR: 5443.86' KB NO. OF JOINTS: 1 jts (30.75') SEATING NIPPLE: 2-7/8" (1.10') Packer @ 5349' SN LANDED AT: 5477.41' KB 4384-4388 NO. OF JOINTS: 2 jts (61.50') 4394-4403 TOTAL STRING LENGTH: EOT @ 5540.46' KB 4453 Douglas Clock Solle Verk 5230 5241 PERFORATION RECORD 5283-5291 10-10-05 5283-5291' - 4 JSPF 10-10-05 5337-53531 4 ISPF 64 holes 5337-53531 10-10-05 5402-5409' 4 JSPF 28 holes 5455-5465' 4 JSPF 10-10-05 40 holes 10-21-05 4394-4403 4 JSPF 36 holes 5402-5409 5455-5465 NEWFIELD 5646 Basal Parbonate
PBTD@5676 Federal 5-17-9-18

SHOE @ 5722'

TD @ 5740'

Est. Wasatu 5771

#### **APPENDIX B**

#### LOGGING AND TESTING REQUIREMENTS

#### Logs.

Logs will be conducted according to current UIC guidance. It is the responsibility of the Permittee to obtain and use guidance prior to conducting any well logging required as a condition of this permit.

#### NO LOGGING REQUIREMENTS

#### Tests.

Tests will be conducted according to current UIC guidance. It is the responsibility of the Permittee to obtain and use guidance prior to conducting any well test required as a condition of this permit.

TYPE OF TEST	DATE DUE
Standard Annulus Pressure	Prior to receiving authorization to inject and at least once every five (5) years after the last successful test
Pore Pressure	Prior to receiving authorization to inject.

#### **APPENDIX C**

## **OPERATING REQUIREMENTS**

# MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE INJECTION PRESSURE:

Maximum Allowable Injection Pressure (MAIP) as measured at the surface shall not exceed the pressure(s) listed below.

	MAXIMUM ALLOWED INJECTION PRESSURE (psi)
WELL NAME	ZONE 1 (Upper)
Federal 5-17-9-18	1,270

#### INJECTION INTERVAL(S):

Injection is permitted only within the approved injection interval listed below. Injection perforations may be altered provided they remain within the approved injection interval and the Permittee provides notice to the Director in accordance with Part II, Section A, Paragraph 6. Specific injection perforations can be found in Appendix A.

	APPROVED INJECTION INTERVAL (KB, ft)		FRACTURE GRADIENT	
FORMATION NAME	ТОР	BOTTOM	(psi/ft)	

#### **ANNULUS PRESSURE:**

The annulus pressure shall be maintained at zero (0) psi as measured at the wellhead. If this pressure cannot be maintained, the Permittee shall follow the procedures listed under Part II, Section C. 6. of this permit.

## **MAXIMUM INJECTION VOLUME:**

There is no limitation on the number of barrels per day (bbls/day) of water that shall be injected into this well, provided further that in no case shall injection pressure exceed that limit shown in Appendix C.

#### APPENDIX D

# MONITORING AND REPORTING PARAMETERS

This is a listing of the parameters required to be observed, recorded, and reported. Refer to the permit Part II, Section D, for detailed requirements for observing, recording, and reporting these parameters.

OBSERVE I	MONTHLY AND RECORD AT LEAST ONCE EVERY THIRTY DAYS
	Injection pressure (psig)
OBSERVE AND RECORD	Annulus pressure(s) (psig)
	Injection rate (bbl/day)
	Fluid volume injected since the well began injecting (bbls)

1	ANNUALLY	
	Injected fluid total dissolved solids (mg/l)	
	Injected fluid specific gravity	
ANALYZE	Injected fluid specific conductivity	
	Injected fluid pH	

ANNUALLY
Each month's maximum and averaged injection pressures (psig)
Each month's maximum and minimum annulus pressure(s) (psig)
Each month's injected volume (bbl)
Fluid volume injected since the well began injecting (bbl)
Written results of annual injected fluid analysis
Sources of all fluids injected during the year

Records of all monitoring activities must be retained and made available for inspection at the following location:

Newfield Production Company 1001 Seventeenth Street - Suite 2000 Denver, CO 80202

#### APPENDIX E

#### PLUGGING AND ABANDONMENT REQUIREMENTS

See Schematic Diagram

The well shall be plugged in a manner that isolates the injection zone and prevents movement of fluid into or between USDWs and in accordance with other applicable Federal, State or local law or regulation. Tubing, packers, and any downhole apparatus shall be removed. Class A, C, G, and H cements, with additives such as accelerators and retarders that control or enhance cement properties, may be used for plugs. However, volume extending additives and gel cements are not approved for plug use. Plug placement shall be verified by tagging. Plugging gel of at least 9.2 lb/gal shall be placed between all plugs. Within sixty (60) days after plugging, the owner or operator shall submit Plugging Record (EPA Form 7520-13) to the Director. The Plugging Record must be certified as accurate and complete by the person responsible for the plugging operation. At a minimum, the following plugs are required:

PLUG NO. 1: Seal Injection Zone: Set a cast iron bridge plug (CIBP) no more than fifty (50) feet above the top injection perforation. Place at least twenty (20) feet of cement plug on top of the CIBP.

PLUG NO. 2: Seal Mahogany Shale and Trona intervals: Squeeze a cement plug on the backside of the 5-1/2 inch casing across the Trona Zone and the Mahogany Shale approximately 2650 feet to 2800 feet (unless pre-existing backside cement precludes cement-squeezing this interval) followed by a minimum 150-foot balanced cement plug inside the 5-1/2 inch casing across the Trona Zone and the Mahogany Shale, approximately 2650 feet to 2800 feet.

PLUG NO. 3: Seal USDWs: Squeeze a cement plug (1070 feet - 1170 feet) on the backside of the 5-1/2 inch casing across the base of the Uinta formation (unless pre-existing backside cement precludes cement-squeezing this interval), followed by a minimum 100-foot balanced cement plug inside the 5-1/2 inch casing across the base of the Uinta Formation, approximately 1070 feet to 1170 feet.

PLUG NO.4: Seal Surface: Set a Class "G" cement plug within the 5-1/2 inch casing to 596 feet and up the 5-1/2 inch by 8-5/8 inch casings annulus to the surface.

Attachment Q-2

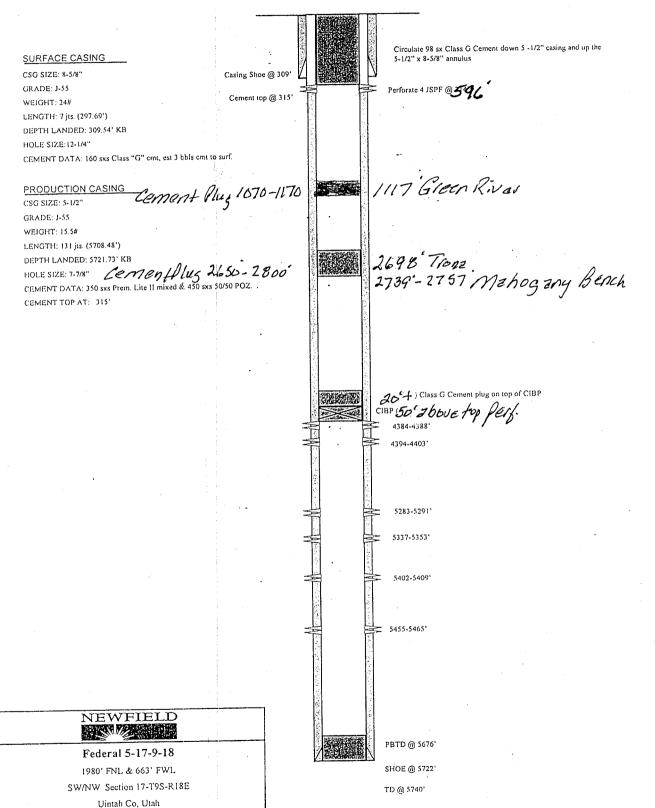
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Spud Date: 9-14-05 Put on Production: 10-25-05

API #43-047-35561; Lease #UTU-39714

GL: 5086' KB: 5098'

Proposed P & A Wellbore Diagram



# **APPENDIX F**

# **CORRECTIVE ACTION REQUIREMENTS**

No corrective action is deemed necessary for this project.

# STATEMENT OF BASIS

# NEWFIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY FEDERAL 5-17-9-18 UINTAH COUNTY, UT

#### **EPA PERMIT NO. UT21138-07687**

**CONTACT:** Emmett Schmitz

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Ground Water Program, 8P-W-GW

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Telephone: 1-800-227-8917 ext. 312-6174

This STATEMENT OF BASIS gives the derivation of site-specific UIC Permit conditions and reasons for them. Referenced sections and conditions correspond to sections and conditions in the Permit.

EPA UIC permits regulate the injection of fluids into underground injection wells so that the injection does not endanger underground sources of drinking water. EPA UIC permit conditions are based upon the authorities set forth in regulatory provisions at 40 CFR Parts 144 and 146, and address potential impacts to underground sources of drinking water. Under 40 CFR 144.35 Issuance of this permit does not convey any property rights of any sort or any exclusive privilege, nor authorize injury to persons or property of invasion of other private rights, or any infringement of other Federal, State or local laws or regulations. Under 40 CFR 144 Subpart D, certain conditions apply to all UIC Permits and may be incorporated either expressly or by reference. General Permit conditions for which the content is mandatory and not subject to site-specific differences (40 CFR Parts 144, 146 and 147) are not discussed in this document.

Upon the Effective Date when issued, the Permit authorizes the construction and operation of injection wells so that the injection does not endanger underground sources of drinking water, governed by the conditions specified in the Permit. The Permit is issued for the operating life of the injection well or project unless terminated for reasonable cause under 40 CFR 144.39, 144.40 and 144.41. The Permit is subject to EPA review at least once every five (5) years to determine if action is required under 40 CFR 144.36(a).

#### PART I. General Information and Description of Facility

Newfield Production Company 1001 Seventeenth Street. Suite 2000 Denver, CO 80202

on

April 3, 2007

submitted an application for an Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program Permit or Permit Modification for the following injection well or wells:

> Federal 5-17-9-18 1980' FNL & 663' FWL, SWNW S17, T9S, R18E Uintah County, UT

Regulations specific to Uintah-Ouray Indian Reservation injection wells are found at 40 CFR 147 Subpart TT.

The application, including the required information and data necessary to issue or modify a UIC Permit in accordance with 40 CFR Parts 144, 146 and 147, was reviewed and determined by EPA to be complete.

The Permit will expire upon delegation of primary enforcement responsibility (primacy) for applicable portions of the UIC Program to the Ute Indian Tribe or the State of Utah unless the delegated agency has the authority and chooses to adopt and enforce this Permit as a Tribal or State Permit.

TABLE 1.1 shows the status of the well or wells as "New", "Existing", or "Conversion" and for Existing shows the original date of injection operation. Well authorization "by rule" under 40 CFR Part 144 Subpart C expires automatically on the Effective Date of an issued UIC Permit.

The Federal No. 5-17-9-18 is currently an active Green River Formation Garden Gulch-Douglas Creek Members oil well. It is the initial intent of the applicant to use the current production perforations for Class II enhanced recovery injection. The Federal No. 5-17-9-18 has total depth in the Basal Carbonate Member.

	TABLE 1.1				
WELL STATUS / DATE OF OPERATION					
	NEW WELLS				
Well Name	Well Status	Date of Operation			
Federal 5-17-9-18	New	N/A			

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#### PART II. Permit Considerations (40 CFR 146.24)

#### **Hydrogeologic Setting**

Water wells for domestic supply in this area, when present, generally are completed into the shallow alluvium, the Duchesne River Formation, or the underlying Uinta Formation, and the water generally contains approximately 500 to 1,500 mg/l and higher total dissolved solids.

The Uinta-Animas aguifer in the Uinta Basin is present in water-yielding beds of sandstone, conglomerate, and siltstone of the Duchesne River and Uinta Formations, the Renegade Tonque of the Wasatch Formation, and the Douglas Creek Member of the Green River Formation. The Renegade Tongue of the Wasatch Formation and the Douglas Creek Member of the Green River Formation contain an aguifer along the southern and eastern margins of the basin where the rocks primarily consist of fluvial, massive, irregularly bedded sandstone and siltstone. Water-vielding units in the Uinta-Animas aquifer in the Uinta Basin commonly are separated from each other and from the underlying Mesaverde aquifer by units of low permeability composed of claystone, shale, marlstone, or limestone. In the Uinta Basin, for example, the part of the aquifer in the Duchesne River and Uinta Formations ranges in thickness from 0 feet at the southern margin of the aquifer to as much as 9,000 feet in the north-central part of the aquifer. Ground-water recharge to the Uinta-Animas aquifer generally occurs in the areas of higher altitude along the margins of the basin. Ground water is discharged mainly to streams, springs, and by transpiration from vegetation growing along stream valleys. The rate of ground-water withdrawal is small, and natural discharge is approximately equal to recharge. Recharge occurs near the southern margin of the aquifer, and discharge occurs near the White and Green Rivers (from USGS publication HA 730-C). Water samples from Mesaverde sands in the nearby Natural Buttes Unit yielded highly saline water.

#### **Geologic Setting (TABLE 2.1)**

The proposed enhanced oil recovery injection well is located in the Greater Monument Butte Field. T7-9S and R15-19E, which lies near the center of the broad, gently northward dipping south flank of the Uinta Basin. More than 450 million barrels of oil (63 MT) have been produced from sediments of the Uinta Basin. The Uinta Basin is a topographic and structural trough encompassing an area of more than 9300 square mi (14,900 km) in northeast Utah. The basin is sharply asymmetrical, with a steep north flank bounded by the east-west-trending Uinta Mountains, and a gently dipping south flank. The Uinta Basin was formed in Paleocene to Eocene time, creating a large area of internal drainage which was filled by the ancestral Lake Uinta. The lacustrine, or fresh water lake-formed, sediments deposited in and around Lake Uinta make up the Uintah and Green River Formations. The southern shore of Lake Uinta was very broad and flat, resulting in large cyclic shifts of the location of the shoreline during the many repeated transgressive and regressive cycles caused by the climatic and tectonic-induced rise and fall of water levels of the lake. Distributary-mouth bars, distributary channels, and near-shore bars are the primary oil producing sandstone reservoirs in the area. (Ref: "Reservoir Characterization of the Lower Green River Formation, Southwest Uinta Basin, Utah Biannual Technical Progress Report, 4/1/99-9/30/99", by C. D. Morgan, Program Manager, November 1999, Contract DE-AC26-98BC15103).

The Duchesne River Formation is absent in this area. Shale and siltstone of the Uintah Formation outcrop and compose the surface rock throughout the area. The lower 600 feet to 800 feet of the Uinta Formation, consisting generally of shale interbedded with occasionally water-bearing sandstone lenses between 5 feet to 20 feet thick, is underlain by the Green River Formation. The

Green River Formation is further subdivided into several Member and local marker units. The cyclic nature of Green River deposition in the southern shore area resulted in numerous stacked, intertonguing deltaic and near-shore sand and silt deposits. Red alluvial shale and siltstone deposits that intertongue with the Green River sediments are of the Colton and Wasatch Formations. Under the Wasatch Formation is the Mesaverde Formation, which consists primarily of continental-origin deposits of interbedded shale, sandstone, and coal.

The geologic dip is about 200 feet per mile, and there are no known surface faults in this area. Veins of gilsonite, a natural resinous hydrocarbon occasionally mined as a resource, occurs in the greater Uintah Basin though it is predominantly found on the eastern margin of the basin near the Colorado border. Vertical veins, generally between 2 ft to 6 ft wide but up to 28 ft wide, may extend many miles in length and occasionally extend as deep as 2000 ft. In this area within the Greater Monument Butte Field there is one known gilsonite vein. This vein is not considered to present a pathway for migration of fluid out of the injection zone because it terminates at depth of about 2000 ft, far above the protective confining layer and much deeper injection zone. Newfield and the owner of this former gilsonite mine have agreed to conditions for operation near this vein to ensure no potential for impact to this vein or to ground water from enhanced oil recovery operations.

# TABLE 2.1 GEOLOGIC SETTING

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Formation Name	Top (ft)	Base (ft)	TDS (mg/l)	Lithology
Uinta: USDW	0	596	< 10,000	Sand and shale.
Uinta	596	1,117		Interbedded lacustrine sand, shale and carbonate with fluvial sand and shale.
Green River	1,117	3,514		Interbedded lacustrine sand, shale, carbonate, evaporite and fluvial sand and shale.
Green River: Garden Gulch Member	3,514	4,453	43,291	Interbedded lacustrine, sand, shale and carbonate with fluvial sand and shale.
Green River: Douglas Creek Member	4,453	5,646	43,291	Interbedded lacustrine sand, shale and carbonate with fluvial sand and shale.
Green River: Basal Carbonate Member	5,646	5,771		Carbonate

#### Proposed Injection Zone(s) (TABLE 2.2)

An injection zone is a geological formation, group of formations, or part of a formation that receives fluids through a well. The proposed injection zones are listed in TABLE 2.2.

Injection will occur into an injection zone that is separated from USDWs by a confining zone which is free of known open faults or fractures within the Area of Review.

The EPA approved interval for Class II enhanced recovery injection is located between the top of the Garden Gulch Member (3514 feet) and the top of the Wasatch Formation estimated to be 5771 feet.

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### **TABLE 2.2** INJECTION ZONES

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Formation Name	Top (ft)	Base (ft)	TDS (mg/l)	Fracture Gradient (psi/ft)	Porosity	Exempted?*
Green River: Garden Gulch & Douglas Creek Members	3,514	5,771	43,291	0.730		<b>N/A</b>
* C - Currently Exempted E - Previously Exempted P - Proposed Exemption N/A - Not Applicable						

Confining Zone(s) (TABLE 2.3)

Green River

A confining zone is a geological formation, part of a formation, or a group of formations that limits fluid movement above the injection zone. The confining zone or zones are listed in TABLE 2.3.

The 45-foot (3469 feet - 3514 feet) shale Confining Zone overlies the top of the Garden Gulch Member.

# **TABLE 2.3 CONFINING ZONES** Federal 5-17-9-18

Base (ft) Top (ft) **Formation Lithology Formation Name** 3,469 3,514 Shale

# Underground Sources of Drinking Water (USDWs) (TABLE 2.4)

Aquifers or the portions thereof which contain less than 10,000 mg/l total dissolved solids (TDS) and are being or could in the future be used as a source of drinking water are considered to be USDWs. The USDWs in the area of this facility are identified in TABLE 2.4.

Throughout the Greater Monument Butte Field area undergoing enhanced oil recovery operations, water analyses of the Green River Formation generally exhibit total dissolved solids (TDS) content well in excess of 10,000 mg/l. However, some recent water analyses from the field showed lower TDS values closer to 10,000 mg/l. While rain and surface water recharge into Green River Formation outcrops further south along the Book Cliffs/Roan Cliffs in effect "freshens" the Green River Formation water near those outcrops, in this area of the Monument Butte Field the observed occasional 'freshening' is ascribed to the effective dilution of the originally in-place high TDS water from injection of relatively fresh water for enhanced oil recovery operations. Water samples from deeper Mesaverde Formation sands in the nearby Natural Buttes Unit yield highly saline water.

The State of Utah "Water Wells and Springs" identifies no public water supply wells within the onequarter (1/4) mile Area-of-Review (AOR) around the Federal No. 5-17-9-18.

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Technical Publication No. 92: State of Utah, Department of Natural Resources, cites the base of Underground Sources of Drinking Water (USDW) in the Uinta Formation approximately 596 feet from the surface. However, absent definitive information relaltive to the water quality of the Uinta Formation, from the depth of 596 feet to the base of the Uinta Formation (1117 feet), the EPA will require, during plugging and abandonment, a cement plug at the base of the Uinta Formation to protect contamination of possible Uinta USDWs.

# TABLE 2.4 UNDERGROUND SOURCES OF DRINKING WATER (USDW)

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Formation Name	Formation Lithology	Top (ft)	Base (ft)	TDS (mg/l)	
Uinta	Sand and shale.	0	596	< 10,000	
Uinta	Interbedded lacustrine sand, shale and carbonate with fluvial sand and shale.	596	1,117		

#### PART III. Well Construction (40 CFR 146.22)

#### See diagram.

The Federal No. 5-17-9-18 was drilled to a total depth of 5740 feet (KB) feet in the Basal Carbonate Member of the Green River Formation.

Surface casing (8-5/8 inch) was set at a depth of 310 feet in a 12-1/4 inch hole using 160 sacks of Class "G" cement which was circulated to the surface.

Production casing (5-1/2 inch) was set at a depth of 5722 feet (KB) in a 7-7/8 inch hole with 350 sacks of Premium Lite II and 450 sacks of 50/50 poz mix. This well construction is considered adequate to protect USDWs.

The EPA calculates the top of cement as 555 feet from the surface. The Cement Bond Log (CBL) identifies top of cement at 315 feet. CBL analysis does identify adequate 80% bond index cement bond within the Confining Zone.

The schematic diagram shows enhanced recovery injection perforations in the Garden Gulch and Douglas Creek Members of the Green River Formation. Additional perforations may be added at a later time between the depths of 3514 feet and the top of the Wasatch Formation (Estimated to be 5771 feet) provided the operator first notifies the Director and later submits an updated well completion report (EPA Form 7520-12) and schematic diagram.

The packer will be set no higher than 100 feet above the top perforation.

# TABLE 3.1 WELL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

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Casing Type	Hole Size (in)	Casing Size (in)	Cased Interval (ft)	Cemented Interval (ft)
Production	7.88	5.50	0 - 5,722	0 - 5,722
Surface	12.25	8.63	0 - 310	0 - 310

The approved well completion plan will be incorporated into the Permit as APPENDIX A and will be binding on the Permittee. Modification of the approved plan is allowed under 40 CFR 144.52(a)(1) provided written approval is obtained from the Director prior to actual modification.

#### Casing and Cementing (TABLE 3.1)

The well construction plan was evaluated and determined to be in conformance with standard practices and guidelines that ensure well injection does not result in the movement of fluids into USDWs. Well construction details for this "new" injection well is shown in TABLE 3.1.

Remedial cementing may be required if the casing cement is shown to be inadequate by cement bond log or other demonstration of Part II (External) mechanical integrity.

#### **Tubing and Packer**

Injection tubing is required to be installed from a packer up to the surface inside the well casing. The packer will be set above the uppermost perforation. The tubing and packer are designed to prevent injection fluid from coming into contact with the outermost casing.

#### **Tubing-Casing Annulus (TCA)**

The TCA allows the casing, tubing and packer to be pressure-tested periodically for mechanical integrity, and will allow for detection of leaks. The TCA will be filled with fresh water treated with a corrosion inhibitor or other fluid approved by the Director.

The tubing/casing annulus must be kept closed at all times so that it can be monitored as required under conditions of the Permit.

#### **Monitoring Devices**

The permittee will be required to install and maintain wellhead equipment that allows for monitoring pressures and providing access for sampling the injected fluid. Required equipment may include but is not limited to: 1) shut-off valves located at the wellhead on the injection tubing and on the TCA; 2) a flow meter that measures the cumulative volume of injected fluid; 3) fittings or pressure gauges attached to the injection tubing and the TCA for monitoring the injection and TCA pressure; and 4) a tap on the injection line, isolated by shut-off valves, for sampling the injected fluid.

All sampling and measurement taken for monitoring must be representative of the monitored activity.

# PART IV. Area of Review, Corrective Action Plan (40 CFR 144.55)

TABLE 4.1 lists the wells in the Area of Review ("AOR") and shows the well type, operating status, depth, top of casing cement ("TOC") and whether a Corrective Action Plan ("CAP") is required for the well.

#### **Area Of Review**

Applicants for Class I, II (other than "existing" wells) or III injection well Permits are required to identify the location of all known wells within the injection well's Area of Review (AOR) which penetrate the injection zone, or in the case of Class II wells operating over the fracture pressure of the formation, all known wells within the area of review that penetrate formations which may be affected by increased pressure. Under 40 CFR 146.6 the AOR may be a fixed radius of not less than one quarter (1/4) mile or a calculated zone of endangering influence. For Area Permits, a fixed width of not less than one quarter (1/4) mile for the circumscribing area may be used.

#### **Corrective Action Plan**

For wells in the AOR which are improperly sealed, completed, or abandoned, the applicant shall develop a Corrective Action Plan (CAP) consisting of the steps or modifications that are necessary to prevent movement of fluid into USDWs.

The CAP will be incorporated into the Permit as APPENDIX F and become binding on the permittee.

PART V. Well Operation Requirements (40 CFR 146.23)

INJECTION ZO		RES	
Federal	5-17-9-18  Depth Used to Calculate MAIP (ft)	Fracture Gradient (psi/ft)	Initial MAIP (psi)
Green River: Garden Gulch & Douglas Creek Members	4,384	0.730	1,270

#### **Approved Injection Fluid**

The approved injection fluid is limited to Class II injection well fluids pursuant to 40 CFR § 144.6(b). For disposal wells injecting water brought to the surface in connection with natural gas storage operations, or conventional oil or natural gas production, the fluid may be commingled and the well used to inject other Class II wastes such as drilling fluids and spent well completion, treatment and stimulation fluid. Injection of non-exempt wastes, including unused fracturing fluids or acids, gas plant cooling tower cleaning wastes, service wastes, and vacuum truck and drum rinsate from trucks and drums transporting or containing non-exempt waste, is prohibited.

The proposed injectate will be a blend of culinary-quality water from the Johnson Water District reservoir and/or water from the Green River pipeline, and produced Green River Formation water

from wells proximate to the Federal No. 5-17-9-18.

#### Injection Pressure Limitation

Injection pressure, measured at the wellhead, shall not exceed a maximum calculated to assure that the pressure used during injection does not initiate new fractures or propagate existing fractures in the confining zones adjacent to the USDWs.

The applicant submitted injection fluid density and injection zone data which was used to calculate a formation fracture pressure and to determine the maximum allowable injection pressure (MAIP), as measured at the surface, for this Permit.

TABLE 5.1 lists the fracture gradient for the injection zone and the approved MAIP, determined according to the following formula:

$$FP = [fg - (0.433 * sg)] * d$$

FP = formation fracture pressure (measured at surface)

fg = fracture gradient (from submitted data or tests)

sg = specific gravity (of injected fluid)

d = depth to top of injection zone (or top perforation)

#### Injection Volume Limitation

Cumulative injected fluid volume limits are set to assure that injected fluids remain within the boundary of the exempted area. Cumulative injected fluid volume is limited when injection occurs into an aguifer that has been exempted from protection as a USDW.

There will be no restrictions on the cumulative volume or daily volume opf authorized Class II fluid to be injected into the approved Green River Formation interval. The Permittee shall not exceed the maximum authorized injection pressure.

#### Mechanical Integrity (40 CFR 146.8)

An injection well has mechanical integrity if:

- 1: there is no significant leak in the casing, tubing, or packer (Part I); and
- 2. there is no significant fluid movement into a USDW through vertical channels adjacent to the injection well bore (Part II).

The Permit prohibits injection into a well which lacks mechanical integrity.

The Permit requires that the well demonstrate mechanical integrity prior to injection and periodically thereafter. A demonstration of mechanical integrity includes both internal (Part I) and external (Part II). The methods and frequency for demonstrating Part I and Part II mechanical integrity are dependent upon well-specific conditions as explained below.

Well construction and site-specific conditions dictate the following requirements for Mechanical Integrity (MI) demonstrations:

PART I MI: Internal MI will be demonstrated prior to beginning injection. Since this well is constructed with a standard casing, tubing, and packer configuration, a successful mechanical integrity test (MIT) is required to take place at least once every five (5) years. A demonstration of

Part I MI is also required prior to resuming injection following any workover operation that affects the casing, tubing or packer. Part I MI may be demonstrated by a standard tubing-casing annulus pressure test using the maximum permitted injection pressure or 1000 psi, which ever is less, with a ten (10) percent or less pressure loss over thirty (30) minutes.

# PART VI. Monitoring, Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements

#### Injection Well Monitoring Program

At least once a year the permittee must analyze a sample of the injected fluid for total dissolved solids (TDS), specific conductivity, pH, and specific gravity. This analysis shall be reported to EPA annually as part of the Annual Report to the Director. Any time a new source of injected fluid is added, a fluid analysis shall be made of the new source.

Instantaneous injection pressure, injection flow rate, cumulative fluid volume and TCA pressures must be observed on a weekly basis. A recording, at least once every thirty (30) days, must be made of the injection pressure, annulus pressure, monthly injection flow rate and cumulative fluid volume. This information is required to be reported annually as part of the Annual Report to the Director.

# PART VII. Plugging and Abandonment Requirements (40 CFR 146.10)

#### Plugging and Abandonment Plan

Prior to abandonment, the well shall be plugged in a manner that isolates the injection zone and prevents movement of fluid into or between USDWs, and in accordance with any applicable Federal, State or local law or regulation. Tubing, packer and other downhole apparatus shall be removed. Cement with additives such as accelerators and retarders that control or enhance cement properties may be used for plugs; however, volume-extending additives and gel cements are not approved for plug use. Plug placement shall be verified by tagging. Plugging gel of at least 9.6 lb/gal shall be placed between all plugs. A minimum 50 ft surface plug shall be set inside and outside of the surface casing to seal pathways for fluid migration into the subsurface. Within sixty (60) days after plugging the owner or operator shall submit Plugging Record (EPA Form 7520 13) to the Director. The Plugging Record must be certified as accurate and complete by the person responsible for the plugging operation. The plugging and abandonment plan is described in Appendix E of the Permit.

#### See Schematic Diagram

The well shall be plugged in a manner that isolates the injection zone and prevents movement of fluid into or between USDWs and in accordance with other applicable Federal, State or local law or regulation. Tubing, packers, and any downhole apparatus shall be removed. Class A, C, G, and H cements, with additives such as accelerators and retarders that control or enhance cement properties, may be used for plugs. However, volume extending additives and gel cements are not approved for plug use. Plug placement shall be verified by tagging. Plugging gel of at least 9.2 lb/gal shall be placed between all plugs. Within sixty (60) days after plugging, the owner or operator shall submit Plugging Record (EPA Form 7520-13) to the Director. The Plugging Record must be certified as accurate and complete by the person responsible for the plugging operation. At a minimum, the following plugs are required:

PLUG NO. 1: Seal Injection Zone: Set a cast iron bridge plug (CIBP) no more than fifty (50) feet

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above the top injection perforation. Place at least twenty (20) feet of cement plug on top of the CIBP.

PLUG NO. 2: Seal Mahogany Shale and Trona intervals: Squeeze a cement plug on the backside of the 5-1/2 inch casing across the Trona Zone and the Mahogany Shale approximately 2650 feet to 2800 feet (unless pre-existing backside cement precludes cement-squeezing this interval) followed by a minimum 150-foot balanced cement plug inside the 5-1/2 inch casing across the Trona Zone and the Mahogany Shale, approximately 2650 feet to 2800 feet.

PLUG NO. 3: Seal USDWs: Squeeze a cement plug (1070 feet - 1170 feet) on the backside of the 5-1/2 inch casing across the base of the Uinta formation (unless pre-existing backside cement precludes cement-squeezing this interval), followed by a minimum 100-foot balanced cement plug inside the 5-1/2 inch casing across the base of the Uinta Formation, approximately 1070 feet to 1170 feet.

PLUG NO.4: Seal Surface: Set a Class "G" cement plug within the 5-1/2 inch casing to 596 feet and up the 5-1/2 inch by 8-5/8 inch casings annulus to the surface.

# PART VIII. Financial Responsibility (40 CFR 144.52)

#### **Demonstration of Financial Responsibility**

The permittee is required to maintain financial responsibility and resources to close, plug, and abandon the underground injection operation in a manner prescribed by the Director. The permittee shall show evidence of such financial responsibility to the Director by the submission of a surety bond, or other adequate assurance such as financial statements or other materials acceptable to the Director. The Regional Administrator may, on a periodic basis, require the holder of a lifetime permit to submit a revised estimate of the resources needed to plug and abandon the well to reflect inflation of such costs, and a revised demonstration of financial responsibility if necessary. Initially, the operator has chosen to demonstrate financial responsibility with:

Financial Statement that has been reviewed and approved by the EPA.

Financial Statement, received April 22, 2005

Evidence of continuing financial responsibility is required to be submitted to the Director annually.



September 15, 2009

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> RE: Re-completion Federal 5-17-9-18 Sec.17, T9S, R18E API #4304735561

Dear Mr. Brad Hill:

The subject well had new perforations added in the Green River Formation. Then put back on production. Please find enclosed the sundry.

Sinderely.

Production Tech

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